

SAYS ROSS FIRED THE FATAL BALL

MUCH FEELING OVER THE
KAUKAUNA TRAGEDY.

Girl Who Was Shot Now Says the Man Inflicted the Wound, and Not the Woman—People Are Much Worked Up.—Some Other State Specials.

Kaukauna, Wis., March 10.—[Special]—The residents hereabouts are much worked up over the tragedy at Beaulieu's resort, and hundreds of persons have visited the scene of the murder since then. The wounded girl, Katie Duprey, lies in a room adjoining the kitchen in which the shooting occurred. She is very weak, and is sinking rapidly. The wound in her breast is paling her greatly.

She can not speak above a whisper, but stated that Ross had shot her first, and not Mrs. Ross, as was announced yesterday.

The remains of Mrs. Ross were shipped to her parents, at West Deper. A brother of the murdered woman accompanied the remains to Deper. The examination of Ross will probably be held before District Attorney Bottensiek tomorrow.

GEORGE PALMER GOES TO WAUPUN.
Boy Murderer Shows Little Concern Over His Life Sentence.

Black River Falls, Wis., March 10.—George Palmer, the boy murderer, was taken to Waupun last evening to begin his life sentence. Since receiving sentence he has shown no regret for committing the crime, nor does his sentence seem to disturb him.

Port Washington, March 10.—The witnesses are all on hand for the trial of the Wagenknecht murder case, and the court room is continually filled. A jury has just been obtained. A determined effort will be made to show that the defendant was insane at the time of committing the murder.

Stevens Point, Wis., March 10.—Guy Morris, William Lovelace and Napoleon Goke, the young men charged with robbing the Mariette postoffice, were bound over to appear before the federal grand jury in Milwaukee. All but Lovelace gave bail. The latter was taken to Milwaukee.

RAISE SHEEP AT WHOLESALE.
Montana Man Plans to Buy a Ranch Near Trempealeau.

Trempealeau, Wis., March 10.—[Special]—Jacob Sieben who hails from a point east of the Rockies in Montana, is here negotiating for 500 acres of bottom lands which he proposes to use as a ranch for raising and fattening sheep, which are shipped by rail from his Montana ranch. His plan is to put the sheep in good condition before marketing them in Chicago and to likewise hold them when the market is low or unfavorable for their sale. He proposes to keep continuously from 30,000 to 50,000 sheep and rush them into the metropolitan markets at opportune times.

Menasha Church Is Locked.

Menasha, Wis., March 10.—A delegation representing the various factions of St. John's Polish Catholic church, went to Green Bay to confer with Bishop Messner in regard to the recent trouble in the church over cemetery affairs. The bishop would not give the delegates an audience, as he said he had done all in his power to effect a settlement before he issued his ultimatum. Father Wozny, who had charge of the congregation, has gone away, and locked up the church. The sisters who had charge of the parochial school have gone to Milwaukee.

Racine Y. W. C. A. May Dissolve.

Racine, Wis., March 10.—The Young Women's Christian association of this city is on the verge of dissolution on account of lack of interest. It was organized three years ago with 200 members. Many have not paid their dues and there is an indebtedness of nearly \$300. Miss Louise Palmer, who has been here two months, retires and will leave for Chicago. The rooms now occupied are leased until July, and if more interest is not shown by that time the association will dissolve.

Killed at Newport, Ark.

Beloit, March 10.—News reached the city that Orlando Howe and his son, former residents of this vicinity, father and brother of Miss Cornelia Howe of this city, had been killed yesterday in a railroad accident at Newport, Ark. They were on their way home from the south.

Acquitted of a Grave Charge.

Black River Falls, Wis., March 10.—After three days' trial, Joseph W. Geucher of Merrillan was acquitted of the charge of criminal assault upon his 16-year-old daughter.

Brother-in-Law of Professor Whitford.

Milton, Wis., March 10.—Professor Albert Whitford of the Milton college faculty, is a brother-in-law of Albert

W. Curtiss, who was killed by the cars at Milwaukee. Professor Whitford attended the funeral at Madison today.

Prisoner Sues the Sheriff.
Portage, Wis., March 10.—Thomas Cullen of Columbus, is suing Ex-Sheriff Hugh Hall for damages, alleging that he was not properly treated while a prisoner in the jail under Hall's rule.

Can't Compete with Convicts.
Sheboygan, Wis., March 10.—The Kohler-Hassen-Stehn company, makers of bath tubs, announce a reduction of wages because of the competition of prison labor.

SENATORS REACH AGREEMENT

The Reorganization Plan Is Now Practically Settled Upon.

Washington, March 10.—Tuesday was again crowded with conferences by the leaders of the various parties, and when night arrived it was pretty definitely understood on all hands that the contest over organization which had been threatening for several days should not take place, and that the present situation should be maintained; that the republicans should retain the control of the committees and the democrats of the general offices. The formal agreement to this effect may be postponed for a few days, but the preliminaries were agreed upon by the representative men of all parties, and it looks now as if there would be no obstacles to the consummation of the agreement.

This agreement is to be binding only during the present special session of the senate and the coming extra session of congress, it being understood that hostilities will break out again next December, when congress will convene in regular session.

The compact provides for the appointment of new senators to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement of their predecessors, and that republicans shall be appointed in the places of retiring republicans, and democrats in the places of retiring democrats. This will give the republicans the opportunity to fill all the vacant chairmanships. Senator Davis has already been placed at the head of the foreign committee. It is understood that Senator Shoup will succeed Mr. Davis as chairman of territories, and that Senator Hansbrough will go to public lands, and it is probable that Senator Hale will take naval affairs, and Senator Chandler privileges and elections. The two vacancies on the finance committee occasioned by the retirement of Senators Sherman and Voorhees will be filled by the appointment of a gold republican to succeed Sherman and a silver democrat to take Voorhees' place.

THE BONDED PRIVILEGE

McKinley Wants to Prevent Importers from Anticipating Tariff Increase.

Washington, March 10.—During the last two or three days President McKinley has spoken to several members of congress about the necessity for immediate legislation to prevent importers of foreign merchandise from taking advantage of the present rates of duty by filling the bonded warehouses full of goods in anticipation of increased rates in the new tariff bill.

It is therefore expected that in his message, which will be sent to congress next Monday or Tuesday, he will recommend the prompt passage of a bill to suspend the bonded privilege for 90 days.

His message will be necessarily short, but will be awaited with great interest. It is expected that he will deal exclusively with the tariff and the finances, and follow the lines of his inaugural.

THE WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

Sovereign Camp Gathers at St. Louis for Transaction of Business.

St. Louis, Mo., March 10.—The second biennial convention of the sovereign camp, Woodmen of the World, was called to order Tuesday with about fifty delegates present, from nearly every state in the union.

During the present session it is expected much controversy will develop over the proposed separation of the camps in the northern states from those in the south, owing to an alleged difference in the death rate in the two sections of the country. In his report to the sovereign camp Commander Root discussed a plan known as the department plan, whereby it is proposed to levy assessments in the south to meet the losses in the lodges in that section and to levy corresponding assessments in the north to meet the losses there.

Sylvester Scovel Set at Liberty.

Havana, March 10.—The Santa Clara court having jurisdiction of the charges against Sylvester Scovel, the New York World correspondent who was arrested in the early part of February while traveling in a train between Tunas and Santi Spiritus, has rendered a decision releasing him from custody. Mr. Scovel is now at liberty.

Said to Have Killed Fifty Men.

Middlesboro, Ky., March 10.—Leslie Combs, the most noted moonshiner in the mountains, was found dead near Hazard with his throat cut. He was a Confederate bushwhacker. He claimed that he had killed fifty men.

BRITISH SOLDIERS READY FOR ACTION

FIRST ARMY CORPS GET SECRET ORDERS.

Said That They Will Be Sent to the Mediterranean—Turkish Troops Massed on the Frontiers—Shiploads of Soldiers at Canea—Greek Fleet Remains.

London, March 10.—It is claimed that secret orders have been received by the First Army Corps to report for service in the Mediterranean.

Constantinople, March 10.—Five thousand Turkish troops are concentrated on the frontier of Belgrade, Serbia. The entire army reserves, of both classes, have been called out.

Canea, March 10.—British and Italian transports are in the harbor this morning, loaded with troops intended to occupy a fort in Crete.

Athens, March 10.—The Ephemeris, the government organ, asserts that orders have been sent to Commodore Sachtouris to maintain the position of the Greek fleet in Cretan waters, even though the powers threaten to use force, and that Prince George himself has visited Platania to instruct Col. Vassos to remain where he is in the interior of the island.

It is reported that the Turkish minister has asked to be recalled, as he fears his life is in danger.

The reserves continue to arrive from the provinces, and the greatest enthusiasm is displayed. The full text of the Greek reply to the powers has been published in the Athens papers. It is generally approved.

The government has formally protested to the powers against the expulsion of the Greek consul from Crete.

ANXIOUS TO COERCE GREECE.

Russia, Germany and Great Britain Seem Determined.

London, March 10.—It was learned in official quarters that there is not the slightest chance that the powers will tolerate the presence of Greek troops in Canea. As soon as the powers have had time to exchange views on the subject Greece will be notified of the measures which have been decided upon for the immediate enforcement of their decision. The negotiations will not last long, for it is known that Germany and Russia are pressing for immediate action.

It was stated in official circles that the renewal of fighting between the insurgents and the Turks in the Island of Crete will compel the powers immediately to take measures to expel the Greeks from that island and land foreign troops there.

In the house of commons Sir William Vernon Harcourt asked the government for a promise that the British forces should not be used against Greece before parliament had been consulted. Mr. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, declined to pledge the government to the course suggested by Sir William Vernon Harcourt, but said that the ministers wished parliament to feel that they were acting with a full sense of their responsibility and in behalf of Cretan liberty and European peace.

Russia Desires Harsh Measures.

St. Petersburg, March 10.—The government expresses its determination to adhere unwaveringly to its decision to push the coercion of Greece to the farthest limit, if necessary, and it earnestly hopes that the other powers will display equal firmness. Besides the blockade of the island of Crete and of the Piraeus, it is understood that the foreign admirals have decided to fire upon any Greek torpedo boat approaching the warships.

Prayers for Greece.

London, March 10.—Dr. Temple, Archbishop of Canterbury, has sent a dispatch to the metropolitan of Athens, in which he says that the Established Church of England is praying earnestly to Almighty God to give the Cretans liberty, justice and peace.

Russia Is Against Greece.

London, March 10.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: The kernel of the situation is the fact, inexplicable to everybody here, that Russia is pursuing Greece with terrible vindictiveness.

Greek Vice-Consul Leaves Canea.

Canea, March 10.—The Greek vice-consul and his staff and all the Greek newspaper correspondents, in obedience to Admiral Canevaro, embarked here for Greece.

Blockading Turkish Vessels.

London, March 10.—The Athens correspondent of the Times understands that a Greek squadron is blockading several Turkish vessels in the Ambra-cian gulf.

They Sue or Overcharges.

Sioux City, Iowa, March 10.—Members of the Northwestern Iowa Grain Dealers' Association have commenced here additional suits against the Northwestern road for \$61,000 alleged overcharges on grain shipments to Chicago. The suits of a similar character already on file against the Northwestern and other roads aggregate over \$1,000,000.

TWENTY ARE KILLED NEAR DECKER, IND.

LIMITED TRAIN GOES THROUGH A BRIDGE.

Sleepers Remained on the Track, But Baggage and Mail Cars, and Day Coaches Plunged Through a Bridge Death List Will Reach a Score It Is Said.

Decker, Ind., March 10.—A fearful railway accident occurred near this city this morning, but details are hard to get at this hour.

The Nashville limited train crashed through a bridge at White river, and was completely wrecked.

Many people were mangled and killed, and it is thought that twenty lives were lost.

The train broke in two, and the passengers in the sleepers were not hurt, the sleeping cars remaining on the track while the day coaches, baggage and mail cars made the plunge through the bridge.

SUGAR SCHEDULE MADE UP

The Ways and Means Committee Fixes a Specific Duty.

Washington, March 10.—The republican members of the ways and means committee nearly disposed of the sugar schedule Tuesday. They agreed unanimously to impose specific duties on sugar. They made the duty on sugar testing 96 degrees saccharine strength, polariscope test, one and five-eighths cents a pound. Above and below 96 degrees the duty will correspond, being 3-100 of a cent more each degree above 96, and 3-100 of a cent less for each degree below 96.

It was agreed that the discriminating duty against sugar from export bounty paying countries should be the net amount of the export bounty. It will vary with each country as the export bounty varies. For purposes of reciprocity, the president was authorized to reduce the duty one-eighth of a cent a pound, or twelve and a half cents a hundred pounds, when coming from countries which, in his opinion, gave reciprocal advantages. The differential between raw and refined sugar was not fixed, but it will be about one-eighth of a cent a pound.

The committee was unanimously opposed to a federal bounty. The increased duty probably will bring the revenue from sugar up to \$50,000,000 a year. Under the Wilson law it is \$30,000,000.

MCKINLEY'S MONETARY PLANS

Will Instruct Ambassadors to Pay Attention to the Views Abroad.

Washington, March 10.—The Evening Star says:

"It is understood that the President will not appoint members of an international conference commission or take any steps toward calling a conference until after the expiration of the special session of congress. The President has in mind a very comprehensive plan for dealing with the whole monetary question. It is understood that he will at first confine negotiations with foreign governments to the usual diplomatic agencies. All the ambassadors and ministers to foreign governments by Mr. McKinley will be given special instructions to devote particular attention to bringing about a friendly understanding on the monetary question. They are expected to assume an attitude friendly to bimetalism and to exert what influence they can toward inducing the countries to which they are accredited to give the matter serious consideration.

Crew of the Raleigh Scared.

Portsmouth, Va., March 10.—An accident occurred Tuesday on the United States cruiser Raleigh. Steam was found escaping from the forward starboard bunker, which is next to the magazine. The bulkheads were dangerously hot and an explosion was feared. The coal was taken from the bunkers. Then it was found that no fire existed and an examination revealed the fact that a steam-pipe valve was leaking slightly. No damage was done.

Tried for Killing His Wife.

Lancaster, Wis., March 10.—The preliminary examination of Mark W. Townsend, who has been occupying a cell in the Grant county jail, charged with killing his wife, was held Tuesday. Townsend was a teacher in the county schools at Cassville twelve years ago. He shot his wife in 1885. The shooting was claimed to have been accidental, but the minds of the people, or at least of a great many of them, were not satisfied on this point.

Sugar Bounty to Be Repealed.

Lincoln, Neb., March 10.—The bill repealing the sugar bounty act has passed both houses and will be approved by the governor. The bill providing for the initiative and referendum received favorable consideration.

Burglars Frightened Away.

Springfield, Ill., March 10.—The bank of Tracy, Atherton & Co., at Pleasant Plains, was entered by burglars, who forced the vault door, but were frightened away before they had finished the job of blowing the safe.

CINCINNATI IS THREATENED.

Heavy Rainfall Has Driven The Streams Out of Their Banks.

Cincinnati, O., March 10.—The situation here has become alarming. About 9 o'clock Tuesday night a thunderstorm north and east of Cincinnati added three-quarters of an inch to the rainfall here in less than an hour. Capt. Bassler of the United States signal service said: "The storm is now central over the lake region, and an area of low pressure extends from Arkansas clear over the entire Ohio valley. All streams south of the Ohio are teeming full, and the situation is altogether discouraging."

This puts an alarming phase on the situation, in view of the widespread destruction of the late flood, probably to be followed by a greater. Reports from the White river region of southern Indiana, and from Washington Court House, O., are that railroad communication is still greatly interrupted, and in some places cut off entirely. News from the headwaters of the Kanawhas and the Monongahela is encouraging. But from the signal-service report there is reason to fear that all this will be soon changed. At midnight the river here was forty-six feet three inches—fifteen inches above the danger line—and rising five inches an hour. Merchants are in the buildings preparing to move their goods out of danger and dreading the news the wires may bring from West Virginia.

Mississippi Rising Fast.

Memphis, Tenn., March 10.—The Mississippi has passed the danger line here and is rising at the rate of nearly a foot in twenty hours, with the prospect of continuing until a height of about thirty-six feet is attained. Intense interest is being felt in Memphis and the big planting territory south of the river and the probable point to which the waters may rise, with much speculation as to whether the levees will be sufficient to hold the waters within bounds. River men, contractors and planters are generally of the opinion that there is no danger of their giving way.

Destructive Hail in Illinois.

Benton, Ill., March 10.—One of the heaviest rain and hail storms in years visited Egypt Tuesday afternoon. The flood of water pouring into all crossings swollen streams has made all crossings practically impassable, and reports are coming in from all quarters of bridges going out. The damage to outlying districts is supposed to have been very heavy, but only meager reports are obtainable.

Wabash River Rising.

Vincennes, Ind., March 10.—The Wabash river is higher now than it has been in eleven years, and is still rising. The lowlands are submerged. Thousands of acres of wheat are inundated, and the damage to farmers is incalculable. Hundreds of homes in the bottoms are vacant on account of the flood. There is great suffering.

Flood Suspends Business.

Shelburn, Ind., March 10.—The Jackson Hill and Alum Cave No. 2 mines are both flooded. The recent flood has caused a general suspension all along the line. It will require at least a week before the mines along the branch will be in operation, as the tracks and bridges are in a bad condition.

Illinois Legislative Doings.

Springfield, Ill., March 10.—In the house Tuesday there was a flood of petitions, the batch including a number of equal suffrage memorials and a protest presented by Mr. Needles against the passage of a uniform textbook bill. All the house and senate bills on the calendar on the order of first reading were read. The number included the senate loan bill, which was advanced to second reading without reference.

In the senate committees were appointed to draft suitable resolutions on the death last week of Senator Wells and also of Senator Herb, who died just after the close of the last session. Many were introduced.

To Plan Action of Silver Senators.

Denver, Colo., March 10.—Governor Adams received a letter from Senator Jones of Arkansas notifying him that on the fifteenth of this month there will be a caucus of silver leaders of the country at this city for the purpose of designing plans for the coming session of Congress. It is reported that the silver men will agree to give a hearty support to the administration, in the hope that any measure of legislation will not rebound to the good of the country and that any attempt to frustrate legislation in Congress would react upon the silver men, who would then be blamed for the failure of improvement under McKinley.

Kentucky Senatorial Fight.

Louisville, Ky., March 10.—Ex-Senator Blackburn's campaign managers are going to make desperate attempt to prevent the election of a republican United States senator at the extra session of the legislature. By doing this they will give Mr. Blackburn another chance, as a new legislature must be elected this fall.

Lee Declines Spain's Invitation.

Havana, March 10.—Consul General Lee, having been invited to take part in the new investigation about the Ruiz case, which has been ordered from Madrid, has declined either to be present in person or to have the consulate represented by an attorney.

PRESIDENT REMAINS MEMBER OF BOARD

THE "UNIVERSITY BILL" IS KILLED.

Assembly Votes It Down After a Hot Debate In Which Many Members Took Part—Board of Pardons Plan Rejected—Pool Selling Bill to Pass.

Madison, Wis., March 10.—[Special]—The bill to remove the president of the university from the board of regents was killed in the assembly this morning, after a savage debate.

Mr. Tucker of Winnebago, in support of the bill, attacked the management of the university, reiterating charges made a week ago.

Mr. Peterson of Portage county read from a report of the state superintendent to show that the members of the board of regents residing in Madison practically controlled the institution.

Mr. True of Sauk declared that the bill was a personal fling at President Adams, and repeated his former charge that the bill had sinister motives behind it.

Considerable debate ensued over the question of whether or not it costs Wisconsin more than Minnesota or Michigan for each student in the university.

Mr. Bullard of Winnebago, savagely assailed the bill. He said the president of the university was not to blame for the acts of the board of regents in putting control of institution into the hands of the executive committee. He said that the charge of lobbying by professors was false and the arguments of the friends of the bill were unfair.

W. A. Jones of Mineral Point, opposed the bill, and said that the cost per student in Wisconsin was less than in Michigan if the cost of erecting buildings was taken out.

Michigan had built no buildings in twenty years.

D. F. Jones of Sparta, made a vigorous attack on the bill, saying he recalled the time when the president of the university had no seat on the board and the institution was under control of a political boss.

The assembly refused to pass the bill by a vote of 31 to 64.

The constitutional amendment creating a board of pardon was also killed.

THE BICYCLE BAGGAGE BILL.

Red Hot Debate Before the Committee Yesterday Afternoon.

Madison, Wis., March 10.—The bicycle collided with the steam engine yesterday afternoon at a joint meeting of the committees on railroads, the Whitehead bicycle baggage bill being the cow on the track which caused the collision.

For more than three hours the leading representatives of the leading railroads of the state and the chief members of the League of American Wheelmen debated the question as to whether or not bicycles are properly baggage. It was the last hearing on the bill and the large committee room was filled to the doors. The committee will not take a vote upon the measure for several days—possibly not until next week.

ANTI-POOL SELLING BILL TO PASS

Favorably Reported and It Is Expected to Pass the Assembly.

Madison, Wis., March 10.—The Wylie bill prohibiting pool selling in Wisconsin or bookmaking on horse racing was reported for passage by the assembly committee on State Affairs last evening without dissent. The friends of the measure are confident it will pass the assembly. The belief is gaining ground that the real stand and fight against the bill is to be made in the senate, perhaps after the assembly has killed the bills to permit limited race meetings with pool selling so that if the Wylie bill should die in the senate, the Ideal Park Jockey club people would have the present condition of things and no restrictions against continuous racing.

Boodle Affidavits Are Ready.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 10.—A. L. Kuolt, secretary of the health department, says he and Dr. Seaman have both prepared the affidavits they stated last week they would make, charging a member of the assembly with soliciting a bribe.

Michigan Day Is Designated.

Lansing, Mich., March 10.—The two houses have designated Tuesday, March 16, as Michigan day, it being the fiftieth anniversary of the location and establishment of the state capital at Lansing. Joint committees have been appointed to arrange for the proper observance of the day. The house has passed bills permitting fraternal beneficiary associations to deposit a guaranty fund with the state treasurer, requiring that all township officials be citizens of the United States and making women eligible to serve as school inspectors.

NEWS OF A COUNTY IS TOLD IN A LINE

WHAT HAS BEEN HAPPENING IN OLD ROCK.

Milton Junction Girl Painfully Burned
By the Overturning of a Bowl of Hot Water—New Pastor At Emerald Grove—The Past Week Up At Milton.

Milton Junction, March 10—Little Eva Partridge was quite badly scalded one day last week. She ran against her mother in some way, spilling a bowl of hot water Mrs. Partridge had in her hand. Fortunately the water struck her legs instead of her head. One leg is burned badly from knee to ankle. She born the pain like a little heroine. The lecture by Rev. Mr. Chambers Saturday night was a good one and the music by the Mandolin club was fine, but there was a small audience. Mrs. I. B. Clarke has recovered from her recent illness and is back in her rooms over the meat market. Mrs. Roberts and daughter and Miss Anna Pinfold of Mazumonia, took dinner at Israel Kelly's Monday, on their way to Jefferson. John Lormer is reported as quite sick. Richard Hull and family of Lima, attended church here last Sabbath. B. Keith is moving his family into R. Burdick's house, on the corner of Vernal avenue and Janesville street. Mr. and Mrs. Donsett will occupy Mrs. C. G. Stillman's house. The I. O. G. T. will give the public another lecture Saturday night, March 20. Subject, "The Cuban Question." Speakers, Professor Healey and Miss Mate Humphrey. The place of meeting will be announced later. Mrs. C. B. Thorpe will sing. Miss Addie Orndall is on the sick list. Mrs. E. M. Orndall had quite a bad fall a few days ago, but is recovering from its effects now. Mrs. Richmond of Lima, visited at S. Wall's Monday. Henry Crumb is moving from this place to his brother's at Johnstown. Mrs. Butler who has cared for him for several years will take care of Miss Margaret who still continues ill without much prospect of soon recovering. Mr. Reagan will move into the Ainsley Thorpe house and Mr. Southwick will return from Iowa and occupy their own home. Mrs. Ainsley Thorpe of Whitewater, visited relatives in town the past week. Mrs. Clyde Price and little daughter visited her parents here over Sunday. George Orndall and family from Iowa arrived in town last week, and have gone to Sunnyside to live. Rev. G. W. Burkley visited some of his church members at Monroe the past week. Mrs. Eva Smith had her goods taken to Janesville Monday. Mr. Young is home from Madison caring for his wife who is ill. Mrs. Rev. Stevens is again confined to her bed by illness. Mrs. Will VanLone returned from Milwaukee Monday.

NEW PASTOR AT EMERALD GROVE.

Rev. Charles Dennis, of Monticello, Accepts a Call to That Place.

Emerald Grove, March 10—Rev. Charles Dennis, of Monticello, has accepted a call as pastor of the Congregational church at this place. He is expected here about April 1. The hop yeast bread that took first prize at the midwinter fair was made from Pure Gold flour sold by Gillies & Jones. Peter McNea has returned from Cottonwood Falls, Kansas. He looks as though the winter had been suitable to his constitution. Boy number three arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schiller Wednesday morning. Charles Kemp is still on the sick roll. Thunder and lightning Sunday night with heavy rains reminds one of approaching spring. A company of young people from Johnstown Center presented their drama "Tatters" in the village last Saturday evening. It was worthy of a much better attendance. Those present thoroughly enjoyed the play. Mr. and Mrs. Rube Chamberlin, of Channahon, Ill., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis over Sunday.

SOME NEWS FROM MILTON TOWN

Notes of Interest Are Gathered By The Gazette Correspondent.

(THE GAZETTE AGENCY, W. W. CLARKE, Manager, Milton, Wis., March 9, 1897.)

The live hog market showed quite an advance during the week, but local buyers made no shipments. Car load freight shipped included two cars of sheep by U. G. Miller, one car of oats by Fetherston Brothers, one car tobacco by Severhill & Porter. Receipts. Two cars of tobacco and one of coal.

A married woman's contest will be given by women of Milton and Milton Junction at the M. E. church in this village on Tuesday evening, March 16, under the direction of the W. C. T. U. Good music will be furnished by married women. Admission ten cents. Contest begins at 8 o'clock sharp. Doors will be opened at 7. The judges will be young ladies.

The stewards of the M. E. church cordially invite the friends as parishioners of Rev. C. E. Carpenter to a donation supper to be held in the church parlors on Thursday afternoon and evening, March 11.

Vincent and Hassenger shipped a car of hogs Monday night.

The "canal" tar and gravel sidewalk, on the west side of the square has been a nuisance all winter and much of the time dangerous, more so in some respects than a board walk out of repair. A good wooden walk there is a necessity and the commissioners should build one as soon as the weather will permit.

Mrs. A. C. Hudson is quite ill with heart difficulty and Miss Ella Ather-

ton, who is stopping there, is also on the sick list, making the Hudson home a regular hospital.

C. E. Perry left for Welton, Ia., today, being obliged to leave school on account of his health.

H. C. Saunders came here Friday. He has rented his farm at Pocahontas, Ia., and will remain in this locality for a time.

A. C. Hudson does not improve as rapidly as his friends desire and is still seriously ill. Dr. J. B. Whiting, Sr., was called in consultation Friday, and gave it as his opinion that he would recover unless something unforeseen developed.

Charles W. Bullock, who has been living at Boulder, Colorado, for some time, is visiting relatives and friends here. He is much pleased with Colorado, but expects to make California his future home.

Miss Kate Walker went to Chicago Friday, where she will spend a month with relatives.

Mrs. E. H. Burdick is dangerously ill with pneumonia, and Mr. Burdick has not fully recovered from his sickness yet.

G. R. Fetherston shipped a car of live hogs Sunday night.

Mrs. B. F. Ballard has been seriously ill for a few days, but is now better.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brooks visited at Palmyra Sunday.

Miss Inez Witbur of Janesville spent Sunday with her parents.

E. H. Burdick was one of the photographers whose pictures were favorably mentioned by the judges at the state photographers' meeting in Milwaukee. They were cabinet size.

George W. Post M. D., of Chicago, and C. C. Post of Barron, are taking special post graduate work at Baltimore.

A German who has an aptitude for giving instruction in voice culture, lectured at college chapel Monday evening. He is able to imitate with perfection all kinds of musical instruments.

Rock River Gossip.

Rock River, March 10—Delos Haskins of Milton, and his brother Charley Haskins of Smythe, Dakota, visited friends here one day last week. A fine baby girl at Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Marjotta's. Mand Rose visited relatives in Edgerton Friday. Mrs. Chaney Hall is very sick. Mr. Hammel of Milton, attended church here last Sabbath. Dell Mills visited friends in Koskonong one day last week. Jennie Rose's school in Harmony closes Thursday, after a four months' term.

THE REV. CARLOS SWIFT DEAD

Father of Mrs. C. F. Yates Passes Away in His Chair.

Mrs. C. F. Yates has received word that her father, Rev. Carlos Swift, proof reader for the printing firm of Tracy, Gibbs & Co., was found dead in his room at the home of A. T. Webb, corner of North Butler and Gorham streets, Madison, yesterday morning. The discovery was made by Miss Ida Tomson, a relative of the family, who lives with them, and who went to the room, supposing Mr. Swift was gone. She found him sitting in a chair, apparently asleep, but closer investigation disclosed the startling fact that he was dead. His flesh was warm and life had evidently been extinct but a short time. He seemed to have seated himself in his chair, with his glasses on, as if to read, and passed away without a struggle.

Mr. Swift was a Baptist clergyman, having preached in Michigan, Illinois, and Iowa. For several years he was connected with the Baptist publication in Chicago and was active in Christian work. During the past five years he has been with Tracy, Gibbs & Co. as proofreader. During this time he has filled vacant pulpits at Sun Prairie, Verona, and Lodi, also the Baptist pulpit in Madison. His services were always very acceptable. He has been in poor health for several years. The last few days he complained of feeling very unwell but was in his place at the office regularly. His death was like one going to sleep. He was a good man, having lived to the age of sixty-eight years, filling his life with deeds of usefulness. His remains will be taken to Mount Carroll, Ill., where he was formerly pastor, for burial. His wife lives at Janesville with a daughter, Mrs. C. F. Yates. They also have a son in St. Louis.

A coroner's jury was summoned before Justice Tenney, and after viewing the remains adjourned till Friday, when the inquest will be held.

F. BURT CARR'S ENTERPRIZE

He Presents Neat Memorandum Books to the Hotel Guests.

As a general rule hotel clerks are not in the habit of spending a portion of their monthly salaries for the good of the house over which they preside. But there are exceptions to every rule. F. Burt Carr, the popular clerk of the Hotel Myers, has recently purchased a number of neat little memorandum books bound in red Russia leather, bearing his name and the name of the hotel in gold letters. They are presented to the guests who are personal friends of the clerk.

EIGHT SYRIANS COME HERE

The Local Colony Is Re-Inforced by Several New Arrivals.

Eight Syrians, seven men and a woman have joined the local colony. They could talk but little English, and each carried on their backs enough baggage to start a second hand store. They make a living by peddling their wares.

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cent a bottle.

TALKED OF PLANS TO HELP THE TOWN

TWILIGHT CLUB'S MEETING LAST NIGHT.

Effect of National Politics on City Affairs Discussed—People Neglect the Causes—Causes of Mis-Government—Salaries For Mayor and Aldermen.

Things are not all perfect, even in Janesville, and the Twilight club, in spite of a good dinner, found considerable fault last evening. Fred L. Clemons was toast master and called upon Justice M. P. Richardson to discuss "Divorcing Municipal Government from National Politics." Mr. Richardson held that national politics had no part in municipal affairs and that the lines should not be drawn in local as in general elections. In the discussion that followed he conceded the importance of party organization, but thought that organization was possible along the lines of local issues.

Theodore W. Goldin dealt with the subject: "Causes of Municipal Mis-government." He found the principal cause in the disposition of so many people to complain about wrong doing and yet take no steps toward betterment. He believed there was no need of new machinery or of new party divisions but that there was need of more general participation in the preliminary stages of municipal campaigns.

Charles C. Russell thought that there would be less municipal mis-government if individual citizens were more willing to lodge complaint against abuses that came to their attention.

Stanley B. Smith said that he was not disposed to attach any great blame to non-salaried city officers for their failure to assume unpleasant responsibilities in the way of a starting prosecutions, but was not so much disposed to excuse policemen and others who were paid to see that the laws of the city were enforced.

The question of paying the members of the council came up and most of those present seemed inclined to think that the mayor and aldermen should receive an allowance for each council meeting attended.

The report of the special committee on Janesville paving ordinances was presented by J. C. Wilmarth. The report embodied a part of the uniform charter, which gives cities the right to pave or macadamize streets and pay for the work in part or wholly out of the general fund. The club was not disposed, however, to say that it wanted the council to have this right.

John Cunningham was chosen as leader of the next meeting, and the subject was left for him to select.

ABOUT MISS CELIE ELLIS.

Leading Lady With Dr. Bill Is a Notable Artist.

The Nashville Sun of Jan. 27 says: Miss Ellis, as Mrs. Horton, has lost none of the beauty of face and voice that made her famous and her work was delightful. She is so magnetic and evidently so full of fun that the audience is infected with mirth at once. Her most wonderful weapon for laughter making is that irresistible laugh of hers. It is not a simple or giggle, it is a genuine laugh. She opens her pretty mouth, shows every one of her pretty teeth and laughs with an abandon that makes even the blase stage hands join in. This power is brought out in a scene in which she is explaining a joke and she keeps it up for fully ten minutes to the intense satisfaction of the audience. Miss Ellis' voice is one of rare sweetness. As a third encore she sang a love song, imitating the piping soprano of an eight year old child, which was one of the most most quaintly humorous specialties imaginable. She says it is the hardest piece of work she does. Miss Celie Ellis in private life is Mrs. C. W. Turner has played Mrs. Horton three seasons.

HE BOTHERS HOUSEKEEPERS.

Unknown Man Made the Rounds of the Third Ward.

An unknown man made the rounds of the Third ward yesterday afternoon. He wore a rubber coat and pretended that he was taking numbers of the houses. At several places he forced himself into the houses only to be thrown out. Walter Walrath finally took him in hand and marched him up town in the hopes of finding an officer.

Current History.

All who ask to keep up connected knowledge of public affairs will find Current History a most useful book. It is published quarterly, and reviews of all events and transactions of the preceding three months concisely and clearly, giving such a complete narrative that even the events of today stand out in clearer light through the insight which is given into their connection with those events of the recent past which have already become history. Garretson, Cox & Co., Buffalo, are publishers.

A Martyr to Love.

Very dramatic and also very sad is the ending of "A Martyr to Love," a novel by Joanna E. Wood, that Town Topics presents as the leading feature of the latest edition of Tales From Town Topics. The title of the story implies a sacrifice of some sort, and the one that the heroine makes is sublime enough to move the stoutest of cynics to some sort of emotion. (Town Topics Publishing Company, 208 Fifth Avenue, New York. Fifty cents.)

"THE EMPTY CRADLE."

(Dedicated to Mrs. Katherine Greene; My Friend, of Chicago.)

They have taken her baby's cradle away. It is gone from the little room; Baby lies in the cold, dark grave. O, why did God call him so soon? Wildly she gazed, ah, so often. For one glance of his dear curly head— Always a vision before her, Her sweet little darling in bed.

Feelings of love and vain longing Fill my soul from morn 'til night; Her room looks so empty and cheerless That once was so warm and bright. She begged me to bring back the cradle, That she might look on it fondly once more At her baby sleeping so gently As she did in the dear days of yore.

They say that her mind is wandering; That she's not the same as before; Can they tell how the heart is aching, Left alone, on the dark, gloomy shore. Yes, her mind is now sadly wandering; She is calling softly to me. And I know in my heart this moment Her babe she expects to see.

So I brought back the empty cradle And placed it quite near her bed, Her face lit up like an angel's And these were her words she said. "O, thank you, kind friend for your trouble You've brought him back safely to me." Then she smiled and cooed at the cradle As happy as happy could be.

I left her rocking it so gently, And her voice rose in sweetest song, "Hush thee, my own darling baby, Sleep now, sleep 'till the morn'." After awhile thus I found her, Her white hand on the cradle still, It was cold, God had mercifully called her, Her mission in Heaven to fulfill. EIBBA DROF.

CITY NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH.

E. H. BROOKS is better.

WISCONSIN King buggies at F. A. Taylor's.

THE Y. M. C. A. band will rehearse this evening.

Ed Jones has opened his restaurant in Evansville.

Howe Bros., have bought E. J. Green's paper stock.

C. S. GRAVES has entered the real estate business again.

THE Hanson Furniture company continues to make daily shipments.

A LOCAL physician claims to have attended to fifty cases of grip last evening.

JOHN MOSHER a member of the Chicago police force was in town yesterday.

MRS. GARRETT VEEDER has been suffering with the grip for some time past.

WISCONSIN Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F will meet this evening at Odd Fellows' hall.

FOUR former Janesville men are now members of the Chicago police force.

THE Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church, met at the church this afternoon.

EIGHT bars of any five of the best known brands of soap for 25 cents at Sanborn's.

MEMBERS of the Order of the Eastern Star will meet at Masonic hall this evening.

GEORGE GARLOCK has resigned his position as janitor at the Y. M. C. A. building.

JANESVILLE will send over a dozen representatives to the opera in Chicago this week.

THE Woman's Foreign Mission circle met with Mrs. Abram Phelps, this afternoon.

ATTORNEY John Cunningham is able to be cut, after being housed some days with the grip.

SMITH's orchestra has several engagements in spite of the fact that the Lenten season is on.

LITTLE Midget sweet pickles are dainty and nice for the table; 25 cents a quart at Sanborn's.

W. B. CAMPBELL of South Academy street has been confined to his home since Saturday by illness.

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THIS \$1.47 shoe sale will be of great interest to the ladies. Read the list carefully on page 4 tonight. Richardson.

A "BLOOMER social" will be given this evening at the home of Miss Hattie Ward on St. Mary's avenue. It will be under the auspices of the Good Templars.

THE stockholders of the Bower City Bank met at the municipal court room last evening and elected the old board of directors as follows: Fenner Kimball, J. W. Sale, Geo. G. Satherland, Wm. G. Heller, I. C. Brownell, James Shearer, A. E. Bingham.

THE Clinton Herald says: "Last Tuesday we visited Janesville, took in the Midwinter Fair and attended the farmers institute, but we realize full well when we have had enough so did not go again. After getting back that evening we took a tumble, striking our chin on the rail of the railroad, cutting a large sized gash and also severely lamed one of our few remaining fingers. We are now going to do our drinking at home."

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Have You Seen

the tremendous line of new dress trimmings that we are showing? It is a marvelous collection and as interesting to lovers of the beautiful as a visit to a grand art gallery. Janesville has never before had within her borders such a stock of trimmings.

Dressmakers

Will please take this as a personal invitation to call and get posted on what is new in trimmings for spring. We have more time just now to give each person considerate attention, and will take pleasure in showing our great line.

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A Black Sateen Skirts that we offer is proving a big seller. It has the ring of merit about it—\$1.50.

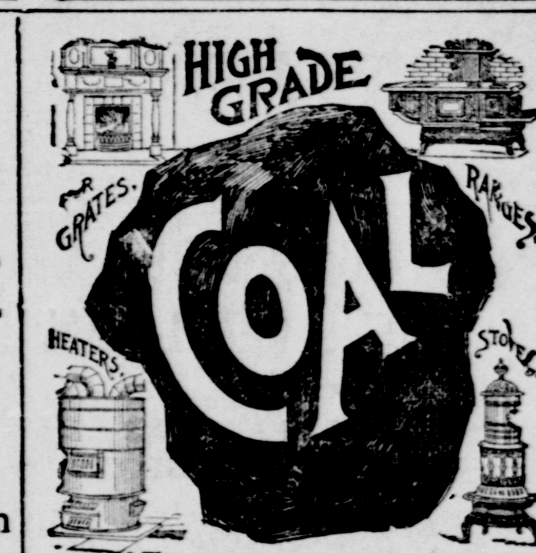
Wrappers.

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THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

(Continued.)

Friday, January 8, 1897.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at 9:30 o'clock a. m.
Called to order by Robert More, chairman.
Roll call.

Members all present except Austin, Flagg and McInnes.

Quorum present.
Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Supervisor Smith moved that the special order for 10 a. m. be postponed for one hour.

Carried.

Supervisor Smith from committee No. 10, reported back bill No. 301, of C. M. Smith, Jr. without recommendation.

Supervisors from the cities of Janesville and Beloit not voting.

Supervisor Vankirk presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved:—By the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County, That, The amount of \$200.00 being the amount allowed to pay the bills of Supts. Throne and Ross, be paid from the general fund, and after the next tax levy the general fund be reimbursed to the amount so paid.

Carried.

Supervisor P. C. Wilder presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved:—By the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County, That, Our County Clerk be instructed to enter into correspondence with those counties of our state which are operating Tramp Work Houses and procure full details of the expense of building and operating of same, and that the Chairman of our Board, Chairman of the building committee, and County Clerk be a committee of investigation of above to report at our next meeting.

Resolution adopted.

Supervisor Coon, from committee No. 15, reported as follows and moved its adoption:

To the Board of Supervisors of Rock County.

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee No. 15, appointed for the purchase of stationery, fuel, water, gas and other incidentals, desires to make the following report:

The Committee had in its hands January 1, 1896, \$ 681.50
Received from appropriations 4,000.00
\$4,681.50

We have expended during the year:
For printing, binding, blank books, advertising and stationery \$2,353.97
For fuel for Court house and jail 691.82
For gas for Court house and jail 175.01
For water for Court house and jail 132.60
For telephone rentals and messages 150.10
For miscellaneous items 144.34
\$3,648.87
Leaving a balance in hands of com. of \$1,032.63

Your committee further finds that items aggregating \$135.35 are chargeable to the expense of the Municipal Court. We would, therefore, recommend that a bill for one-third of this amount, \$45.12, be presented to the City of Janesville, as the share of expense to be borne by the city in accordance with chapter 315, laws of 1891.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. W. COON,

C. E. BOWLES.

Report adopted.

Supervisor Smith moved to adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

Afternoon Session January 8th.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Called to order by Robert More, chairman.
Roll call.

Members all present except Flagg and McInnes.

Quorum present.

The County Clerk submitted the following report:

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of Rock County:

GENTLEMEN:—At your January meeting in 1895, you very generously made an appropriation of \$100.00 to the County Clerk to be expended by him for extra help needed in writing up the journal of proceeding of the county board and preparing the same for publication and other extra work in his office. I herewith submit a detailed statement of the expenditure of the same:

1895
Jan. Received County order \$ 100.00

Feb. 12, Paid Miss Rich, copy proceedings Co. Board 24.00
Paid L. M. Nelson, comparing 5.00
Paid Mrs. McIntyre making county orders 10.00 39.00

1896
Jan. 1 Cash on hand to bal. 61.00

1896 Jan. 1, Bal. brought forward 16.00
Feb. 4, Paid Mrs. McIntyre making county orders 6.00
April 4, Paid L. M. Nelson comparing 4.00
April 4, Paid Mary Nelson putting up election blanks 1.00

July 3, Paid Miss Rich copy proceedings Co. board 3.00
Nov. 30, Paid Miss Rich copy proceedings Co. board 9.00

Nov. 30, Paid L. M. Nelson putting up election blanks 6.00

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ting up election banks and ballots. 3.00
Nov. 30, Paid Mrs. McIntyre making orders, etc. 10.00 52.00
1897 Jan. 1, cash on hand to Bal. 9.00 \$61.00

On motion of Supervisor Mayhew, adopted.

Supervisor T. B. Bailey presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved:—By the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County, That, The sum of 75 dollars be and is hereby appropriated to W. J. McIntyre for services on Co. Agent Committee for the year 1896, and that an order be drawn for the same.

Resolution adopted. Ayes 33, nays 0.
Supervisor Bailey from committee No. 7, on public buildings, reported as follows and moved its adoption:

To the Board of Supervisors of Rock County.

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee on public buildings begs leave to report as follows:

It will be remembered that your committee reported at the November meeting the furnishing of two rooms at the asylum for hospital purposes. It became necessary with the advance of cold weather to supply these rooms with heating appliances. These rooms in connection with the milk room in the basement, have been fitted up with steam heat coils at a cost of \$210. There has been some improvement made in the basement of the almshouse, but of this, your committee is not fully informed for the reason that that matter was by resolution of the board placed in the hands of the board of trustees.

By resolution, your committee was instructed to furnish additional filing room for the clerk of the circuit court. We therefore made a contract with the St. Louis A Metal Co. for a case of 72 files and onself to be placed in the office of said clerk at a cost of \$108.

Your committee was by resolution instructed to have the boilers in the basement of the court house inspected by a competent inspector. This work was done Nov. 22nd last, by the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co. The following notations have been taken from the inspector's report: "The boilers are clean internally, but are badly pitted and corroded, especially the tube No. 2 has a bad blister over the fire end rear head is very thin. The bolts are very old, and owing to the defects above mentioned, must be run very carefully, and should be replaced with new ones at an early date." We would, therefore, recommend that as soon as practicable they be disposed of and new and larger ones substituted in their place.

Since the last meeting of the board twelve new windows have been placed in the court house, six on the north side of the court room, three in the office of the clerk of the court, at a cost of \$369, including painting and fitting.

It is remembered that your committee was instructed by resolution, to have the county judge, county clerk and clerk of the court and devise a plan for arrangement of the offices in the court house in a way that would better utilize the vault room now in use, thereby relieving the county at the expense of the expense of constructing a new and additional vault room. Your committee met with the judge of the circuit court and the above named officers and submitted the following plan which was approved by them and if approved, and adopted by this board, will be as follows: The rooms now occupied by the circuit judge and county clerk will be occupied by the county judge and the rooms occupied by the county clerk will be occupied by the judge of the circuit court, and the south room the two rooms occupied by the clerk of the court will be occupied by the county judge. The vault in the office of the county judge will be made an addition to the vault of the clerk of the court by removing the partition wall the county judge will have the exclusive use of the vault in the room assigned to him. It will be necessary to place a door either single or double in the partition wall, separating the two rooms to be occupied by the county clerk. It will be seen by this arrangement the required amount of room for the accommodation of the county clerk will be furnished and the question of additional vault room which has been a matter of some years or more. Your committee would recommend the purchase of a sufficient number of steel cases to furnish the vault room the vault to be occupied by the clerk of the court and clerk of the circuit court. In view of these necessary and expensive repairs and the pressure of the tinyour committee would not recommend additional expense in the vault occupied by the county clerk.

Your committee has to report:

1895
Jan. Cash on hand \$ 38.86
Jan. received county order 1,000.00
Jan. received county order 400.00
Jan. received county order 2,000.00
Dec. received county order 1,000.00

Paid at court house \$112.13
Paid at jail 118.00
Paid at asylum 546.81
Paid at court, asylum 1,985.49
Jan. 8, Balance on hand 664.83

\$4,438.86 \$4,438.86

Statement of account with the clerk for the year has been placed in the hands of committee No. 9 for their report.

have to report all the County books in good condition and know of none of them going to decay for want of proper care or repair.

have taken an inventory of the jail property at the jail and have a schedule of the same with the clerk.

Signed T. B. BAILEY,
E. RATHERAM,
J. D. GODFREY.

Wm. Rockwell, by request, appeared before the board and explained

the bill of Dr. Henry Palmer's estate tabled at the November meeting.

Supervisor Bear moved that the bill be allowed.

The ayes and noes being called the motion was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Austin, Bear, Bowles, Cary, Cram, Gleason, Griswold, Kendall, Mayhew, Miller, Onsgard, Ratheram, Vankirk, White, Wilder—15.

Noes—Andrew, Baker, Cleophas, Coon, Cory, Godfrey, Gray, Henry, Inman, Jones, Langworthy, Powers, Smith, Swingle, Whitehead, More—16.

Supervisor Smith presented a bill of Kenosha county for 32-7 weeks board of Lilly H. Best, at Northern Hospital for the insane, amounting to \$48.43, said amount having been charged to Kenosha county by the State Board of Control.

On motion bill allowed. Ayes 33, nays 0.

Superintendent of Poor, S. B. Kenyon, submitted his annual report which was referred to committee No. 14.

Supervisor W. A. Mayhew presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, By the County board of Supervisors of Rock County, That, the sum of \$1,500 be and the same is hereby placed in the hands of the building committee for the purpose of making changes in the offices in this building as recommended by this board and that an order be drawn on the treasurer in favor of said committee for the same.

Resolution adopted. Ayes 33, nays 0.

Supervisor Mayhew from committee No. 14, reported as follows and moved its adoption:

To the Board of Supervisors of Rock County, Wis.

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee No. 14 to whom has been referred the accounts of the receipts and disbursements of the Supts. of the Poor for this county, would respectfully submit the following report:

Supt. S. B. Kenyon reports a deficit Jan. 1, 1896 of \$ 141.56
Receipts for the year by order from county clerk \$4,000.00
From other sources 42.50

Total receipts \$4,042.50
Disbursements as per vouchers submitted including deficit above of \$141.56 \$3,982.54
Personal expense account 67.63

Total disbursements \$4,050.17
Balance due S. B. Kenyon, Jan. 1, 1897 7.67

\$4,050.17

The disbursements by towns are as follows:

Expenses per town in Rock County.
Center 137.64
Lima 87.13
La Prairie 39.63
Milton 110.25
Plymouth 101.50
Spring Valley 234.92
Johnstown 147.50
Janesville 6.50
Fulton 83.40
Porter 56.21
Edgerton city 158.86
Evanston city 12.90
Rock 230.31
Magnolia 65.70
Union 37.61
Avon (by S. B. Kenyon) 300.05
City of Janesville (by clerk) 2,004.89

\$3,905.61

By Towns as per Supt. Appleby's report:

Avon 20.65
Clinton 754.05
Rock 93.20
Turtle 68.95
Transient 34.70
Physicians salary 67.50
City of Beloit 1,988.72
Total by towns for temporary relief \$6,333.98
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Rock County, Wis.

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby submit for your approval the following report of my receipts and disbursements as Superintendent of the Poor for the year ending Dec. 31, 1896.

Balance on hand Jan. 6, 1896 \$ 93.13
Received from County orders 3,000.00

Total \$3,093.13
Paid out on vouchers \$3,028.27
Expense account 30.00
Balance on hand 44.76

\$3,063.13

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. M. APPLEBY,

Supt. of Poor.

The following is a list of the names of persons who have received aid the past year, and the amount each has received.

Names.
Mrs. S. 2.00
Mrs. Hughes 69.49
Mrs. Anderson 62.03
Mrs. May 34.76
Mrs. Callahan, Afton 67.18
Mrs. Wische, Afton 38.75
John Kettler 38.75
Mrs. F. Rosenthal 24.14
James Follan 24.85
Mrs. Porter 24.85
Mrs. Loyde 10.47
Mrs. F. McDonald 2.50
Mrs. Thos. Cleary 34.50
Mrs. J. Kessler 11.21
Mrs. Riley 16.46
Mrs. Pat Ryan 12.57
Mrs. W. Hamblin 12.00
Robert Kester 34.69
John Wallace 3.63
A. Hanson 1.73
Jas. Pratt 39.65
Mrs. Smith 17.63
Mike Ward 6.00
Mrs. Marlett 11.50
Chas. Lamb 11.50
Albert Graves 39.56
Mrs. Pope 19.95
John Schultz 10.36
Lea Clark 4.50
Frank Jackson 17.40
Clara Smith 35.43
Mrs. Sharp 27.56
Jno. McGary 27.56
Hans Holta 56.45
Chas. Wells 2.75
J. Lamm 2.75
Mrs. W. Johnson 59.95
Mrs. Ponce 37.71
Josiah Darby 17.66
Mrs. Rowe 70.97
Mrs. Retzel 30.41
Mrs. Gilbertson 7.15
Mrs. Kerline 30.30
Mrs. Harris 29.41
Mrs. Marlett 27.50
Chas. Brandt 37.71
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Mrs. Thomas 19.90
Mrs. Van Antwerp 2.00
Mrs. Wheeler 1.83
Jos. Eckerman 7.04

A GREEDY ORIENTAL.

Late Shah Was Close-Fisted and Hindered Progress by His Parsimony.

The greatest defect of the Shah was his avarice, which was immense and insatiable; and although this is a fault common among Oriental despots, who feel that their power can only be made secure from attack by the command of a full treasury, yet it injured and often ruined his schemes for the development of his country. If he had been content to spend some portion of his hoards on public improvements, on the repair of ancient reservoirs and water courses, and the construction of roads and bridges, he would have brought under cultivation tracts of cultivatable land which are now desert and would have largely benefited both his own revenue and the general trade of the country. But he could not make up his mind to spend money, and required every improvement not only to pay for itself but to bring a large contribution to his own treasury.

The concessions which were given to all comers for manufactures, mines, tramways, roads, banks, monopolies for lotteries, electric lighting, tobacco culture, and other schemes, were in no case assisted by state money, but all had to surrender a share of their profits, real or problematical, to the shah. The consequence was that the greater number of these industrial undertakings, which, in a strange country, and among a suspicious population, required constant support and large pecuniary assistance from the government, soon withered and disappeared, and the shah not only lost his anticipated profit, but solid and honorable financiers were deterred from adventuring in so unpropitious a country. The ground was left free to less honest speculators, who applied for concessions, not to work them seriously, but to pass them on for a consideration to others who might successfully plant them in the often credulous markets of Europe. Disaster followed, the credit of Persia was lowered, and sound enterprises were seriously injured by the collapse of worthless speculations.—Nineteenth Century.

Don't allow the lungs to be impaired by the continuous irritation of a cough. It is easier to prevent consumption than to cure it. One Minute Cough Cure taken early will ward off any fatal lung trouble. C. D. Stevens.

Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

One minute is all the time necessary to decide from personal experience that One Minute Cough Cure does what its name implies. C. D. Stevens.

If you have ever seen a child, the agony of a cough, you can appreciate the gratitude of the mothers who know that One Minute Cough Cure relieves their little ones as quickly as it is administered. Many homes in this city are never without it. C. D. Stevens.

"Away With Melancholy." And bid dull care away, "sounds very well in verse, but if you have a case of the "blues" caused by indigestion, with biliousness added on as an extra horror, you cannot say hey presto! and thus insure the departure of those annoying twins. The "proper caper" when thus troubled, is to seek the aid of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Thereafter you will speedily digest with ease and eat with appetite, and your liver will reassess its right to regularity. Not only this, you can retire without a horrible dread that the Washington monument will—in dream—impose itself upon the pit of your stomach. If you feel premonitory symptoms of chills and fever, kidney trouble, or rheumatism, summon the Bitters to the rescue without delay. "It's a worse thing than being run." A feeble condition of the system is more speedily changed to a vigorous one by this fine tonic than by any other medicinal agent in existence. A wine-glassful three times a day.

It is surprising what a "whee bit" or a thing can accomplish. Sick headache, constipation, dyspepsia, sour stomach, dizziness, are quickly banished by De Witt's Little Early Risers. Small pill. Safe pill. Best pill. C. D. Stevens.

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FOR RENT Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d ward. Enquire at 153 Cornelia St. In good repair. Nicely located.

FOR SALE, very cheap—'96 lady's Columbia bicycle, good as new, at Sheldon's.

N. O. 3 La Vista flats, Kent's block will be for rent April 1.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A yearling Jersey bull. Enquire of George Hachorn.

FOR SALE, at a bargain—F. H. Kemp's new house, in the Second ward. D. Conger.

FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Enquire at this office.

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WANTED—By young man attending the school—place to work mornings and evenings and Saturdays for board. Valentine Bros.

To the Young

NO LAUREATE.

How Can France Welcome the Tsar in Authoritative Verse?

France possesses, says a foreign correspondent, an academy of forty immortals, but she does not boast of a poet laureate, so that when the Tsar makes his appearance here there will be no official bard to bid him welcome in eloquent strains. In revenge, and, perhaps, with a view to atoning for this deficiency, quite a galaxy of rhymesters is busily engaged on the task of weaving verses on the coming event, which are destined to kindle the enthusiasm of the frequenters of music halls and like places of amusement. Upward of thirty-three songs have thus been composed, and the majority of them are waiting the approval of the censor, to whose inspection they have been submitted. One, however, is already delighting the audience of a popular cafe-chantant. It is entitled "Francillonnette et Nicolas," and on one cover the emperor is depicted with the ribbon of the order of St. Andrew giving his arm to a girl wearing the Phrygian cap. Francillonnette has been courted by two lovers, "Le premier s'appelait Guillaume," while the second, "C'était le beau Nicolas." She has chosen Nicolas, and she will no longer be alone, as he will defend her. They marry, and spend the honeymoon in Paris. Among many other productions intended to catch the popular taste are "Vive l'Empereur de Russie," the "Salut au Tsar" and "Le Bienvenu." Another ditty sets forth that if the emperor began his journey "par Breslau, Guillaume, et Berlin," this was simply an affair of good manners, but that "chez nous il vient pour son plaisir." The word "fanfare" has been selected in many instances as the one considered to rhyme best with "Tsar." Such are the songs to which Parisians are to be treated in honor of the auspicious event.

THE BIGGEST CAT.

It is Thirty Inches Long and Weighs Twenty-Four Pounds.

Just plain "Tom" is the unpretending name of probably the greatest domestic cat in the world. Edward Simmons, a fish and oyster dealer of New York, is the proud possessor of "Tom." This giant of cats is thirty inches in length, from his head to the tip of his tail. He is a foot high, and weighed last spring twenty-four pounds. The recent hot weather has caused him to drop a few pounds of flesh, but has not impaired his health or happiness. Thomas is black and white, and is rather peculiarly marked. He has two complete rings of white around his tail, which makes him look like first cousin to a raccoon. Mr. Simmons picked up the cat two years ago while walking along South street. Thomas was but a stray kitten then, so that his pedigree has never been ascertained, and it is not known whether or not heredity has had anything to do with his enormous size.

The Hot Springs

located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. Ry.

They are so small that the most sensitive persons take them, they are so effective that the most obstinate cases of constipation, headache and torpid liver yield to them. That is why DeWitt's Little Early Risers are known as the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

Excursion Rates to Carson City For the Great Fight.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell round trip excursion tickets to Carson city, Nevada at \$7.50 on March 12 and 13, good for return until March 25 on account of the Corbett and Fitzsimmons prize fight. Short line via Omaha. Electric light vestibule trains. Leave Janesville 6:35 p. m.

Many cases of "Grippe" have lately been cured by One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation seems especially adapted to the cure of this disease. It acts quickly thus preventing serious complications and bad effects in which this disease often leaves the patient. C. D. Stevens.

Tour of Old Mexico.

Under escort of American Tourist association. Beau Campbell, General manager. January 16 and February 27. Sleeping and dining cars and special baggage cars through all the tour without change. More miles and days in Mexico, more cities and towns than ever offered. Tickets include all expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotels, etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for further particulars.

Torturing, itching, scaly skin eruptions, burns and scalds are soothed at once and promptly healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the best known cure for piles. C. D. Stevens.

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City Missionary Kimball makes the following report, and returns thanks for the subjoined donations.

A friend, cash \$10; Mr Halverson, cash \$1; a friend, cash \$1; Paul Gerhke, Paul Colvin, Boston Store, Colvin Bakery, Paul Gerhke, F. S. Winslow, R. H. Colvin, A. C. Munger, Paul Gerhke, Skelley & Wilbur, Mrs. Colvin, Paul Gerhke, food; William Burchell, ten sacks corn meal; J. M. Shackleton, one sack flour; Mrs. H. W. Thompson, potatoes; Mrs. R. H. Clarke, two cans quinces, one can currant jelly, one can blueberries, one can currant jelly; Mrs. Gaylor, one can currant jelly; left at the door, apples; a friend, apples; Frank Baack, a friend, Mrs. John Thoroughgood, Mrs. Peter Howland, Mrs. Amos Prichard, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Frank Newton, Mrs. S. Brand, Mr. Tonkins, Mrs. Mary Lowe, Miss Mabel Benedict, Miss Maggie Ashley, Mrs. A. W. Hall, a friend, Mrs. J. O. Selleck, Mrs. Will McVicar, Mrs. George Ashley, Miss Armetice Allright, Mrs. Mary Shekey, Mrs. Retta Parker, Mrs. J. M. Riker, Mrs. Hollis, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. H. J. Marsden, Mrs. Harry Slauson, Mrs. Peter J. Mout, Mrs. Hexsmith, Mrs. F. Moulton, a friend, Mrs. Coon, Mrs. E. S. Taylor, Mrs. Goldin, Mrs. T. M. Cummings of La Prairie; Mr. Tonkins, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Ferslew, clothing; Mrs. H. W. Thompson, potatoes; left at door apples; a friend, apples; Richardson Shoe Store, shoes; Helmstreet drug store, bottle of cough syrup and two plasters; disinfectant, King's pharmacy; J. W. Plowright, F. S. Winslow, Janesville coal company, coal; J. W. Plowright, wood; M. H. W. Thompson, a lot of soap; Mrs. Retta Parker, medicine; Mrs. John Falker, Mrs. Jas. Blair, Mrs. Lexsmith, Mrs. Amos Prichard, clothes to be used about the sick; Mrs. Mary Shekey, Mrs. James Pratt, flowers for the sick and for the dead; a friend, bed comfort; Mrs. Peter Howland, stand; Mrs. Golder, a lot of cloth; Bernice Thompson, paper dolls; Mrs. John Thoroughgood, a lot of books and magazines; Mrs. J. M. Riker, Mrs. W. J. Knight, Mrs. James Croft, Mrs. R. Brand, Mrs. R. J. Knox, Mrs. John Thoroughgood Mrs. Bowes, papers; Mrs. Will Kimball, clothing; No. calls made, 173; families furnished with food, 38; families supplied with fuel, 4; garments distributed, 144; bed comforts furnished, 1; dishes furnished, 24; sacks corn meal furnished, 12; sacks flour furnished, 1; a lot of apples beans and potatoes distributed; milk for child, 1 jar; bibles distributed, 3; papers distributed, 567; tracts distributed, 50; pamphlets distributed, 150; visiting sick, bible reading, conversation and prayer held with them, medicine furnished the sick, plasters furnished the sick, flowers, fruit and delicacies furnished the sick, clothes furnished to be used about the sick. Hack and casket for one funeral, home found for one child, lot of playthings furnished children, picture books for children, 19; employment found for 4, cloth furnished for one ladies' dress, gathered into the Sunday school, 7.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1845—Alexander III, czar of Russia, born; emperor 1881; died 1894.
1865—Duke de Morny, friend of Louis Napoleon and statesman of the second empire, died at Paris; born 1812. De Morny was the reputed half brother of Napoleon III.
1872—Giuseppe (Joseph) Mazzini, Italian revolutionist, died at Pisa; born 1805. Mazzini studied law and early devoted himself to the despotism of Austria and petty tyrants. He joined the Carbonari, and being proscribed resided at Seailles and London. He soon became the recognized head of the young Italy movement.
1893—Great fire in the old burned district of Boston; loss on property, \$2,500,000; 3 people killed and 30 injured.

Republican City Convention.

The Republican city convention will be held at the common council chamber in the city of Janesville, on Wednesday, March 24, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a city committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following officers:

Mayor.
Street Commissioner.
City Clerk.
Justice of the Peace.
School Commissioner at Large.
Sealer of Weights and Measures.
The several wards will hold their caucuses on Tuesday evening, March 23, 1897, and elect delegates to said convention as follows:
First Ward—Ten.
Second Ward—Six.
Third Ward—Ten.
Fourth Ward—Eight.
Fifth Ward—Four.
O. F. NOWLAN, Chairman.

SMOOTH ROADS AND FARM VALUES.

Rock county farmers should bear this relation in mind:

How much would you give for a farm located a thousand miles from a railroad, a wagon road, and every other means of communication with the rest of the world?

How much would you give for a farm within four miles of a railroad, and the wagon roads for those four miles filled with mud, stones, sand and trying grades?

And wouldn't you give more for a farm if the road to town or to several market points were hard and smooth and level, so that vehicles of all kinds, including bicycles, would happily convey many people to and fro, and you could market the farm produce quickly and cheaply?

The value of a farm depends almost wholly on the railroads and wagon roads about it. Good roads are worth more to the farmer than to any one else. The more easily, quickly and pleasantly he can get to and from his farm the more it is worth an acre.

The distance to market depends on the character of the road.

NO TIME WILL BE LOST.

President McKinley is in earnest, the republican congressmen are in earnest and Thomas B. Reed's prediction that the tariff bill will pass the house in two weeks after it is reported seems likely to prove correct. The senate finance committee will probably have the bill early in April, and may report it by the 15th or 20th of the month. It is hazardous to predict what will happen afterward, but there is a chance that the bill will go through that body in five or six weeks. There is a reasonable presumption that it will get into the president's hands before the middle of June, making a fair allowance for the sluggish movement of the senate and the delay in the conference committee. Then the industries will quickly adjust themselves to the new conditions, the revenue shortage will end, and a business rally which will promptly pull the country out of its slough of despond will take place.

ANDREWS OF THE NATIONAL TRIBUNE

Byron Andrews, formerly of Rock county and brother of Miss Marilla Andrews of Evansville, is now principal owner of The National Tribune of Washington. John McElroy and R. W. Shoppell are associated with him. The Tribune will continue to be published in Washington, but its lines will be broadened to include all the patriotic societies. The present circulation of The Tribune is 100,000 copies weekly.

The chance to nominate men of stamina and standing rather than pick out candidates who will please this clique or that clique seem to be better this year than usual.

So thoroughly did President McKinley in his message voice the conservative sentiment of the country that the response from business centers was instantaneous.

Tariff Bill Almost Ready.

Washington, March 10.—Chairman of the ways and means

Death in a Brooklyn Fire.

New York, March 10.—Fire broke out Tuesday afternoon in a five-story apartment building at Canton street and Auburn place, Brooklyn. Mrs. Clara Doddard, who occupied the top floor, became panic-stricken at the sight of the flames and threw her 8-months-old baby out of the window. The little one's brains were dashed out on the pavement, and the mother, when she had realized what she had done, jumped out of the window also, breaking one of her legs and sustaining several other injuries. The body of Chas. Doddard was subsequently found by the firemen on the top floor of the building. He was smothered by smoke.

Will Soon Take Bayard's Place.

Washington, March 10.—The British government, through Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador here, has been asked whether Colonel John Hay would be persona grata as ambassador to Great Britain. This is the usual custom in the case of an ambassador. The British government has informed the state department through Sir Julian that Colonel Hay will be made welcome whenever he cares to call on the queen, and his nomination is expected to be sent to the senate in the course of a few days.

Elections in Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., March 10.—Half the villages of Minnesota held elections Tuesday. Party lines were not closely drawn, although the number of Democrats elected is somewhat larger than usual. There were contests in many places on the question of license. License carried Slayton, Pipestone, Sherburne and Fairmont, and anti-license won at Harmony, Granada and Minnesota. John Owens, Democrat, was elected mayor of North St. Paul by a majority of two votes.

Vetoes the Railroad Bill.

Topeka, Kan., March 10.—Gov. Leedy has vetoed the Harris railroad bill. The bill does not contain a maximum rate schedule and gives the railroad commissioners only limited authority. Leedy says the Abilene platform promised the people radical railroad legislation, and therefore he would not consent to an act which he says is no better than the law now on the statute books. The legislature has refused to pass the bill over the veto.

Welcome Stevenson Home.

Bloomington, Ill., March 10.—The high regard in which ex-Vice-President Stevenson is held by his fellow-citizens in Bloomington was shown by the large attendance at a notable and brilliant reception given in his honor at Cooper hall Tuesday evening. The reception was a spontaneous expression of the general admiration for Mr. Stevenson as a man and a citizen and appreciation of the honor bestowed upon him by his party.

Leadville Strike Is On.

Leadville, Col., March 10.—At a meeting of the Miners' union it was decided by a vote of approximately 900 to 200 to declare the strike off. This is the direct result of a recent vigorous effort on the part of E. V. Debs and Mine Manager Tingley S. Wood. The strike was declared June 19, 1896, and has lasted over eight months. It has cost the camp fully \$4,000,000.

Find Cure for Hog Cholera.

Dubuque, Iowa, March 10.—A cure for hog cholera, it seems, has been discovered. Under the encouragement of such interests as the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railway and the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, a practical hog-raiser has been sent over the lines of these companies and has made repeated demonstrations with successful results.

Hotel Man Shoots His Rival.

Wichita, Kan., March 10.—Amos Frazier and C. Dickinson, two hotel proprietors at Sedgwick, engaged in a shooting affray Tuesday, and Dickinson was mortally wounded. The trouble was the outgrowth of bitter competition for business. Frazier was arrested.

FORECLOSURE SALE—THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.

Rebecca A. Ward, plaintiff, vs. The Spring Rock Improvement Company, George L. Carrington, Samuel H. Carrington, and George J. Hitchcock, all defendants.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled action at a regular term of the circuit court for Rock county, Wisconsin, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1896, in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendants, I shall offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the postoffice in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, at one o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described lands and premises in and by said judgment of foreclosure directed to be sold, situated in the city of Janesville, county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, and described as follows, to-wit:
Lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), eight (8), ten (10), twelve (12), four (4), one hundred twenty seven (127), two hundred twenty five (225), two hundred and ten (210), all being in Spring Brook addition to Janesville, according to the duly recorded plat thereof, all of said lots being in the City of Janesville, County of Rock and state of Wisconsin, together with the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging, or so much thereof as will be necessary to pay said judgment and costs and costs of sale.
Dated, Feb. 2, 1897.
THE J. L. ACHERSON,
Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis.
SUTHERLAND & NOBLE,
Plaintiff's Attorneys,
P. O. Address, Janesville, Rock Co., Wis.
336dew

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday being the 16th day of March, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:
The application of John F. Spoon for the adjustment and allowance of his account as administrator of the estate of Catherine Crounch, late of the town of Center, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as by law are entitled thereto.
Filed Feb. 16, 1897.
By the Court.

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P. Cox Misses' and Children's Shoes, small sizes, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, at 7c
Children's Red Shoes worth \$2.00, go at 7c
Men's Pingree & Smith fine calf, pointed toe, worth \$5 00, go at \$18
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Jelly, per pail	29c
10 Bars Kirk's Soap	25c
7 Bars Santa Claus Soap	25c
Phoenix Baking Powder	12c
Fancy Lemons, dozen	10c
Raspberries, pound, loose Muscatels	5c
Fancy Turkish Prunes, 5c pound	25c
6 pounds	5c
Japan Kites, pound	25c
12 quarts Beans	25c
6 boxes standard Axle Grease	25c
Elegant new Cocoanuts direct from Africa, each	5c
Crushed Java Coffee, 2 pounds	25c
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One Life Only--

Is guaranteed us on earth and we use every effort to prolong that life until terminated by the consuming process of nature. We should not allow unfavorable causes to rob us of any portion of our existence. A torpid liver, weak digestion, inactive kidneys or an abnormal condition of any organ of the body not only shortens life but often makes life a burden hard to endure.

We have had more than twenty years' experience in searching out and removing obscure causes of disease, not only prolonging life but removing obstacles which were making life a burden. Restorator to health gives a buoyancy of spirit unknown to those whose vital powers are impaired. Our methods are restorative methods.

M. ALDEN MOREHOUSE, Specialist,

Murdoch Flats, North Franklin St.,

CONSULTATION FREE

ENNIS LIQUOR CASE IS NOW ON TRIAL

ORFORDVILLE MAN BEFORE
MUNICIPAL COURT.

Some of the Witnesses Sampled Local Firewater, and One Was Locked Up For Being Drunk In Consequence—Poor Memories In Evidence.

After several adjournments, the liquor case of the State of Wisconsin against James Ennis of Orford, came to trial in the municipal court this afternoon at 2 o'clock, before a jury of six. The jurors were W. T. Shearer, E. T. Brown, W. M. Eldridge, I. C. Brownell, James Simpson and Robert Airis. Smith & Pierce appeared for the defendant while District Attorney Jackson prosecuted.

Twenty witnesses arrived in the city this morning from Orford, and by noon some of them were "feeling good" as the result of too free indulgence in the flowing bowl. Sheriff Acheson and Officer Appleby arrested one man and landed him in jail, but the other witnesses appeared in court this afternoon. The following witnesses were examined for the state: Olaf Gilbertson, Elmer Holden, Budd Kelly, T. Eagan, John Kelly, Bert Helmbolt and Frank Williams. Some of them testified that "they didn't know whether they had a drink or not," and the court talked to one of them quite pointedly.

Local officers notified of a burglary that was committed at Orford. The general store owned by Mrs. Wood was entered and considerable clothing taken.

Officer Appleby took care of an inebriated farmer who was wasting his substance in entering the White-light club last night. The man had sold his tobacco and had \$80. The clubmen were his self invited guests.

OBJECTIONS TO JANESVILLE

County People Tell About Grievances That Have Grown Up In Late Years.

Two complaints about Janesville are heard from county people since the Midwinter fair began to make the ties between town and county closer. One is that the provision for hitching teams is much too scant.

"We should like to trade in Janesville more," said a Mount Zion farmer, "but when we come in we have to bring somebody along to hold the horses. The hitching posts have been getting fewer every year, and getting further away from the center of the town."

The second complaint heard is in regard to stores being closed nights. The stores in the villages around Janesville profit by this, but many county people would prefer to come to Janesville. At this time of year early closing makes less difference, but in the busy season of spring, summer and autumn, the effect is considerable.

COMMENDS WHEELER'S BILL

Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin Says Geological Survey Should Be Made.

The Evening Wisconsin says that Assemblyman Wheeler's bill to provide for the investigation of the natural resources of the state is a good measure. The text-book feature is only one of its incidents. The publication of reports exhibiting the industrial resources of the state would undoubtedly attract capital to invest here and build up new manufactures, adding materially to the wealth of the community. If the legislature cannot afford at the present session to make the full amount of the appropriation asked for, let it make a smaller one, but let the survey be started.

CUT HER HAIR WHILE ASLEEP

Miss Lulu Reeder Uses the Shears and Did Not Know It.

Miss Lulu Reeder of this city, was much astonished when she got up and looked in the glass, to find that during the night, her long hair had been cut off close to her head.

She was positive that no one could have cut it off as she slept, and was mystified. When the family went down stairs, however, the mystery was explained.

Lying on the sitting room floor, with the shears on top, was the young lady's hair. She had been "walking in her sleep," and cut her hair off without knowing it, the marks of the shears showing on her thumb. The young lady's hair was twenty-seven inches long, and she was very proud of it.

TRAINS MADE LATE BY FLOODS

St. Paul Company Had Some Trouble Near Darlington.

Trains on the Mineral Point division of the St. Paul roads were somewhat delayed on account of wash-outs. The morning passenger train ran through a foot of water for some distance near Gratiot. Dynamite was being used this morning in the Pecatonica river between Gratiot and Darlington to dislodge the ice that was gorged in the river.

Shoe Sales Outdone.

All previous records for the cheap selling of shoes is broken by the Richardson Shoe Co., in the \$1.47 shoe sale now in progress at their store. The shoes are \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 goods of about twenty different styles and many of them are hand turned. They are not shop worn nor out of date. The room that they occupy is needed for spring stock, and rather than carry them over, they are thus sacrificed; and not a shoe in the lot cost less than \$2.25 wholesale and many of them more. A complete list is given of the lot on page 6 tonight.

A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

\$1.47 at Richardson's.

The kettle begins to boil.

Fish are cheap at Sanborn's.

New bicycles are being bought.

Shoes for ladies \$1.47 at Richardson's.

Little Midget sweet pickles at Sanborn's.

Plenty of tobacco was received in town today.

Nick lemons 15 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

\$1.47 ladies' special shoe sale at Richardson's.

Its fish again at Sanborn's. Prices are very low.

The shooters are figuring on slaying the ducks.

500 needle point carpet tacks for 5 cents at Sanborn's.

A SEVENTEEN pound pail of jelly for 30 cents at Sanborn's.

\$4 for a \$7.50 enameled shoe, S. & G. make at Richardson's.

HAND made fine stock shoes going at \$1.47 at Richardson's.

MONEY to loan on real estate without commission. S. D. Grubb.

FIG wafers are nice with coffee. A fresh lot just in at Sanborn's.

GUARANTEED pure Ohio maple sugar 12 cents a pound at Sanborn's.

A NEW line of fish net and lace curtains just in at Bort & Bailey's.

A gallon can of choice asparagus for twenty-five cents. Sanborn's.

TEN and 15 per cent. saved on lace curtains of all kinds at Bort, Bailey & Co.

WILL you eat fish this week? Sanborn can save you some money on them.

ALL the nice oranges you want 10 cents a dozen, 3 dozen for 35 cents, at Sanborn's.

SANBORN & Co. have just received a carcase of Gold Medal and Hard to Beat flour.

ONE pound box fancy citron, orange and lemon peel only ten cents a box at Sanborn's.

Two \$50 bets, even money, were made today on the Corbett and Fitzsimmons fight.

SPECIAL sale of ladies \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 shoes, over 20 different styles, \$1.47 a pair at Richardson's.

FANCY evaporated half peaches 7 cents per pound, four pound for twenty-five cents. Sanborn.

READY to wear, black broadcloth wool skirts for \$1.39 at Hoffmester. Also a number of finer ones.

NORTHWESTERN Life Association, of Minneapolis, the grant of the Northwest. A. L. Bemis, state manager.

LADIES are admiring those new lace curtains we have just received, don't miss examining them. Bort, Bailey & Co.

EMBROIDERED chiffon 45 inches wide both black and white with colored figures, new patterns today. Archie Reid & Co.

THE lowest price black broadcloth mohair skirt in the city is the handsomest garment offered by Hoffmester & Son at \$1.39.

MARTIN CURTIS has disposed of his Fort Atkinson business and can be found at the Myers House cigar store of Curtis & Kienow.

If your grocer does not keep Pearl White or Vienna flour and refuses to send them to you you can get them at the mill. J. M. Shackleton.

THE "Maxine Elliot" ladies white linen collars and cuffs, all sizes in stock today, latest fad, collars, 15 cents, cuffs 20. Archie Reid & Co.

We guarantee a saving of ten to fifteen per cent on the fine line of curtain goods we have just received, it is the CASH system that does it. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ABOUT twenty feet of the Evansville dam gave way Monday evening, and as a consequence the water in the creek rose about four feet in a very short time.

We show some beautiful Tambo net for sash and full length curtains in widths 27, 36 and 44 inches. You will miss it by not seeing the immense line we show. Bort, Bailey & Co.

WHAT to ask for in the way of seasonable dress designs is shown in the April issue of the Butterick Fashion Sheet, now ready at Bort, Bailey & Co. The Delineator is out for April.

WE, the members of Rock River Lodge No. 210 of Janesville, Wis., do hereby extend our heartfelt thanks to all those who assisted at the funeral of our late brother, R. H. Cantillon. J. L. Camis, Sec.

THE Royal Purple Afternoon club will be entertained by Mrs. Lyman Morse at the residence of Mrs. C. W. Brooks, 112 North Bluff street, Thursday afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to all Royal Neighbors.

SCOTCH dotted curtain swiss. We have just received fifty new pieces in the following range of prices, 12, 15, 20, 25, 30 and 35 cents. These materials are especially nice for curtaining chambers and spare rooms. Bort, Bailey & Co.

CALL for it at Bort, Bailey & Co. Call for it today—the Butterick Fashion sheet for April—just received and to be had for the asking. It abounds in the best up-to-date ideas in dress—practical ideas, too, and all embodied in handy helps—the Butterick patterns.

THE Butterick fashion sheets for April just received by Bort, Bailey & Co., is crowded with novelties and shows many beautiful designs for seasonable garments. Come and get a fashion sheet for the asking and if you have time, just spare a little of it to take a peek at some of the pretty novelties in dress goods just opened.

CAUGHT CRAZY MAN AND LOCKED HIM UP

THOMAS BRADY, OF MADISON,
CAPTURED.

He Was a Blacksmith, and Was Formerly In Business In This City—Capital City Officers Had Been Searching For Him For Some Time Past.

Thomas Brady, the insane blacksmith of Madison, who made his escape from the Mendota officers Saturday night, was located in this city this morning. Brady applied at a Center avenue residence for dinner. He was known to the people, and word was at once sent to Sheriff Acheson and Officer Appleby. Brady, the insane man, was once in the blacksmith business in this city, and is well known here.

For some time past it has been known to his family and intimate friends that he has been "wrong," and four months ago he was removed to the asylum at Mendota. Last Saturday night he asked permission to see his family in Madison, and his request was granted. While conversing with his wife, one of the neighbors happened in, and Brady, thinking that he was being shadowed, at once struck the neighbor, knocking him down. The attendants then started to take him to the asylum, when he asked permission to kiss his little boy good bye. The request was granted, and Brady quietly slipped out of the rear of the house, and his whereabouts have been a mystery until he was located here today. The insane man carried a copy of the Madison Journal containing a marked account of his escape. It is expected that Sheriff Moulton will be here from Madison this evening to take Brady back.

BEYOND THE CARES OF EARTH.

Mrs. David Jameson.

The funeral services of Mrs. David Jameson, of Emerald Grove, were held in the Congregational church there at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. Richard Miller preached the sermon from I. Cor. 13:12. The Congregational choir furnished appropriate music. W. F. Goodrich had charge of the arrangements. A goodly number of the neighbors and friends were in attendance to pay their respects to the memory of the departed. The pall bearers were Messrs. Frank Child, Everett Ransom, J. T. Boynton and Frank Coulter.

Artemesia Palmer Jameson was born in the town of Campbell, Stuen Co., N. Y., June 4, 1828. She was married to David Jameson in Big Flat, N. Y., Nov. 3, 1852. In 1854 she and her husband moved to Illinois where they lived for sixteen years and where she united with the Methodist church in 1857. In 1873 they moved to Wisconsin and a few years ago to Emerald Grove where they resided at the time of her death. Six children were born to them, two of whom, Mrs. Beaumont, of Janesville, and Miss Electa Jameson, survive to mourn the loss of a kind and devoted mother. She passed away as one falling asleep March 6, 1897, in the sixty ninth year of her age.

A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

BOCK beer is ripening.

J. T. BROWN will take no more contracts for us. Ferris Ice Co.

MR. and Mrs. Chas. Hanson will entertain friends this evening.

J. L. & M. F. Greene shipped four cars of tobacco east yesterday.

ALDERMAN Stearns claims to have heard the sweet song of a robin.

MR. and Mrs. C. F. Yates were called to Madison today by the death of Mrs. Yates' father.

T. A. LAWSON, of Chicago the superintendent of the Northwestern road was in town today.

H. A. BAKER has decided to remain in Chicago and is again installed as clerk at the Olifson House.

MR. and Mrs. F. S. Eldred will entertain friends this evening at their South Jackson street home, at a six o'clock dinner.

A GAME of basket ball will be played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium tomorrow evening between Y. M. C. A. and High school teams.

CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE.

Chicago Board of Trade quotations furnished The Gazette by Robert Lindholm & Co. to Splann & Law Commission Co., No. 24 West Milwaukee street.

Opening. High. Low. Close.

May Wheat..... 75 75 74 74

July Wheat..... 72 72 71 71

May Corn..... 24 24 24 24

July Corn..... 25 25 25 25

May Oats..... 17 17 17 17

July Oats..... 18 18 18 18

May Pork..... \$8 40 \$8 40 \$8 30

July Pork..... 8 52 8 52 8 42

May Lard..... 4 15 4 15 4 10

May Short Ribs..... 4 45 4 45 4 37

Liverpool cables cables unchanged from yesterday.

Minneapolis receipts: Wheat 327 cars. Puts 734. Cattle 75. Cows 74.

Chicago Car Lots: Wheat, 16, corn, 138, oats, 178, Chicago hogs estimated for tomorrow, 28,000.

Do You Like Fish.

SANBORN has always sold a great lot of fresh and salt fish each week, but during the past week or so he has more than doubled his sales. You can always depend on the fish he sells as being the best to be found, and at present prices are so low as to make them the cheapest meat one can buy. Look for his list tonight.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. George Cummings desires to thank the many friends and especially the employees of the O. & N. W. R., who were so kind in her late affliction.

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

JOHN D. O'HARA is improving.

L. FESSENDEN was here from Osage.

WILLIAM BURR is here from Milwaukee.

FRED RICHTER is working in Columbus.

JOSEPH MAHANEY visited the Line City.

C. E. SHANNON was down from Edgerton.

ALDERMAN S. C. Burnham is much better.

CONSTABLE Thorson was in from Orford.

H. A. FORD has returned from Milwaukee.

B. F. DUNWIDIE spent the day at Brohead.

C. S. GRAVES was called to Evansville today.

T. B. BAILEY was here from the Line City.

W. A. ROBERTS was up from Freeport today.

T. W. RUGGLES was a Rockford visitor today.

JAMES ROOT rode to Beloit yesterday on his bicycle.

P. F. PARHURST was here from Marengo, Ill.

DR. Q. O. Sutherland was called to Edgerton today.

NORMAN L. CARLE is ill at his home, with bowel trouble.

JOHN ABBOTT left today for his home in Milwaukee today.

DR. J. B. WHITING was called to Albany last evening.

L. MORSE is once more on duty after a seige with the grip.

MISS WINIFRED FOX left this morning for a visit in Milwaukee.

T. E. SAYRE was in tobacco districts about Brohead today.

WILLIAM RICHTER left for Milwaukee where he expects to locate.

Mrs. Maggie Johnson has left for a visit with friends in Chicago.

LEWIS F. GRANT was down town today, after a six weeks' illness.

R. H. BALOW has been confined to the house this week with the grip.

F. J. COLLAMAN of Madison, was in the local tobacco market yesterday.

WILLIAM D. CANTILLON left yesterday for his home in the Cream City.

Mrs. CLARENCE BURDICK has left for a visit with her parents in Chicago.

JOHN R. YOUNG, a tobacco buyer from Philadelphia, is in the local market.

K. E. CARR, representing the Sterling bicycle, is in the city for a few days.

JOHN SWEET, the former clerk at the Grand hotel, is now located at Biloxi, Miss.

Mrs. J. F. SWEENEY left this morning for the World's Fair city to attend the opera.

JOHN WHITEBEAR, a full blooded Indian who resides near Madison, was in town.

Mrs. BLANCHE BURDICK leaves in the morning to join her husband in Denver, Col.

SURVEYOR C. V. Kerch was in town today. He was moving his household goods to Dixon, Ill.

NIGHT Watchman and Mrs. Edward Smith arrived home last evening from Washington, D. C.

E. B. BRUNDAGE a former Janesville resident, but now of Grand Rapids, Wis., was in town.

Misses Minnie and Mamie Hakes of Belvidere, Ill., are the guests of Miss Jessie Hemmen, Lincoln street.

Mrs. B. WOOD, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Van Etta, returned to Chicago this noon.

TONY DAMM, formerly a local butcher, but now of Chicago, is in town. He expects to locate here again.

T. L. MASON, a former local resident now of Hebron, Ill., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Phelps, 53 Sharon street.

THE CRETAN AFFAIR A POLITICAL JOB

SO SAYS JOHN VALENSEI, OF ALGERIA.

He Is An Importer of Wares Made In the Sultan's Territory, But Was Much Insulted When a Reporter Asked Him If He Was a Turk—Wants No War.

John Valensei, a native of Oran, Algeria, was in the city today being on his way home from the west.

Mr. Valensei looked very much like a Turk and wore a Turkish cap, but was very much insulted when asked by a Gazette man if he was a native of Turkey. He is an importer of fancy goods made in Turkey.

He says the present trouble between Greece and Turkey is all a political scheme and that in case of war he would prefer remaining in this country.

PRESENT SCHUBERT PROGRAM

Musical-Literary Society's Session Last Evening Was an Enjoyable One

A Schubert program was presented at the meeting of the Musical-Literary society at the rooms of the Caledonian society last evening as follows:

PROGRAM.
The Centenary of Franz Schubert—Reading
..... Mrs. J. F. Pember
Analysis and Military March..... Leona B. Stevens
The Erl King (and analysis)..... Mr. Roberts
Am Meer..... Mr. F. F. Lewis
Beneath the Evening's Last, Sweet Smile..... C. N. Vankirk
Impromptu, B flat..... Mrs. Roberts
Hark, Hark, the Lark—Song..... Miss Abbott
Hark, Hark, the Lark—Piano..... Miss Carrie Spaulding
Who is Sylvia?..... Mr. Garbutt

IS PLANNING TO BUY A HOME.

Dr. J. W. St. John Negotiates For the Judd Property.

Negotiations are now pending for the sale of the Judd property at the corner of Jackson and School streets to Dr. J. W. St. John. This property includes two dwellings, one of which fronts on School street. In case the deal is closed it is said that a dwelling will be erected to cost in the neighborhood of \$3,000.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

ORDER of the Eastern Star.

Y. M. C. A. band rehearsal.

WISCONSIN Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.

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ELECTRIC LIGHTING IMPROVED.

A System Has Come to Stay but It Is Still Crude.

An expert points out that, while in early days of electric lighting people thought much more of the mere fact of having electric light than of the efficiency they derived from it, the consumer of today is usually perfectly well able to tell whether he is getting full value in light for the money he is paying the central station, says the New York Times; so that between the strict exaction of the customer and the competition of rival lighting systems an electric light company can only hope to succeed by the best possible service. The whole subject of lighting is in a transition state. In factories and large shops the old practice of allowing the rays of the arc lamp to fall downward will probably soon be discarded. It is found that by inverting the lamp and throwing the light to the roof, which should be whitewashed or white painted, the powerfully reflected rays are so different throughout the building as to give the maximum efficiency without straining the eyes of the workmen. Much of the present outdoor lighting is condemned as crude and unsanitary. The street arc lamps dazzle and strain the eye, throw sharp shadows and waste the light. The next improvement will probably be the use of lower candle power lamps, placed at shorter intervals and having reflecting hoods. The bottom half of the globes will be semi-opaque and possibly tinted a deep orange color. This would neutralize the painful glare of the arc lamp and give the streets the effect of being illuminated with Chinese lanterns. In domestic lighting shades having prismatic corrugations on their surfaces are coming into vogue. They give a good diffusion of light with but little absorption. An authority on decorative lighting says that although many new ideas have sprung up in the distribution of masses of light in interiors, none has yet superseded in beauty and effectiveness the system of putting lamps out of sight and lighting the room entirely by diffused and possibly colored light. This will probably be the method of illuminating churches in the future. In churches where it has already been adopted the effect is described as so infinitely restful and appropriate that in comparison the ordinary methods of church lighting seem garish and barbarous.

NAPOLEON'S WILL.

It Displayed His Real Self and His Character.

His will displays his qualities in their entirety. The language sounds simple and sincere; there is a hidden meaning in almost every line, says the October Century. His religion had been, at best, that of a deist; at the last he professed a piety which he never felt or practiced. During his life France had been loved and used as a skillful artificer uses his tools; the last words of his testament suggests a passionate devotion. To his son he recommended the "love of right, which alone can incite to the performance of great deeds;" for his faithless wife he expressed the tenderest sentiments and probably felt them. It was his hope that the English people would avenge themselves on the English oligarchy and that France would forgive the traitors who betrayed her—Marmont, Augereau, Talleyrand and Lafayette—as he forgave them. Louis he pardoned in the same spirit for the "libel published in 1820; it is full of falsehoods and falsified documents." The blame for E. Chien's murder he took to himself. The second portion of the document is a series of munificent sounding bequests, disposing of his supposititious private fortune, estimated by him at 250,000,000 francs, to a list of legatees which includes every one who had done the legator any important service since his earliest childhood. In codicil he remembers one "Cautillon, who had undergone trial for an alleged attempt to assassinate Wellington. "Cautillon had as much right to assassinate that oligarch as he (Wellington) had to send me to the rock of St. Helena to perish there."

Longfellow's Handwriting.

Mr. W. D. Howells has been publishing in Harper's Magazine some interesting reminiscences of Longfellow, in the course of which he describes his handwriting as "smooth, regular, and scrupulously perfect." It was "quite vertical and rounded, with a slope neither to the right nor left, and at the time I knew him first he was fond of using a soft pencil on printing paper, though commonly he wrote with a quill. Each letter was distinct in shape, and between the verses was always the exact space of half-an-inch." Those acquainted with the so-called "vertical" writing, which is rapidly coming into vogue now, will notice that the above description exactly applies to it. Longfellow's manuscript, according to Howells, was quite perfect, but he admits that the poems he has in his possession were probably not first drafts.

Wayside Philosophizing.

Wayworn Watson—"Women is funny things. They say a woman's 'no' means 'yes' most of the time." Perry Patetic—"Mebbe it does, but when a bloke asks her fer a handout while she is hangin' out clothes on a windy day an' she tells him 'no' he'll find out that it goes." Cincinnati Enquirer.

Bjornsen's Handwriting.

It is that Bjornsen, the novelist, writes so ill that his handwriting can be read only by the aid of a magnifying glass. The story carried in the last two

WHAT INDUSTRY CAN DO.

A Worthless Piece of Georgia Land Made to Blossom Like the Rose.

There are acres and acres of land in this vast country of ours that are supposed to be worthless, but which, by a little industry and thrift, can be actually made "to blossom like the rose." A striking example of what can be accomplished in this line is furnished by the following account of a strip of land in Georgia which a few years ago was considered totally unfit for purposes of cultivation, but which today grows some of the finest grapes in the state. The strip of land in question contains seven acres and is situated on the outskirts of the city of Atlanta. Fourteen years ago it was considered nothing more than a barren waste, too poor even to sprout peas. In 1881 a family named Bernard came to this country from Alsace-Lorraine, poor but willing to work. Through the assistance of the agent of a cotton factory they reached Atlanta. By dint of hard labor and economic living they were enabled to gather together a little money and were able to purchase this supposedly worthless piece of land. The old folks immediately planted grapes and set about to reclaim the land, while the children were kept at work in the mill. For three years spades and hoes took the place of the plow, until at length the labor was rewarded. The farm began to bloom and the ruts began to pass away. They bought a cow and pigs and by stint were soon able to get more cows and pigs. A barn was built and every sprig of grass and every weed was cured and put in there. The grapes shortly began to bear and they devoted all their attention henceforth to the grapes, planting more vines. Good dwellings were built, also a wine cellar, and they have progressed till prosperity and comfort crop out on all their surroundings. Nearly the whole of the farm is today devoted to the culture of grapes and the land is not excelled by that of France or any other grape-growing country. The Bernards are now a quite wealthy and respected family.

AS TO SLEEP.

As Deleterious to Indulge in It Too Much as Not Enough.

"In the matter of sleep," remarked a well-known physician, to a Washington Star man, "there are as many peculiar things as there are about eating, what is one man's food is another's poison. The same applies to sleep. This much is generally known and accepted by standard authorities on the subject, that tall or bulky people require more sleep than others, and that women can get along on much less sleep than can men. As with animals, human beings sleep much longer and heartier in the winter than at any other time. People of extreme old age require as much sleep as infants, and it is beneficial to both classes if they can sleep one-half the time, or even a greater portion. There is one thing I would like to impress upon every one, and that is, it is positively injurious for any one to sleep longer than is actually necessary. When you hear people talk of forcing themselves to sleep long hours, it means as much as if they overdrank or overfed themselves. I am strongly of the belief that while six or seven hours are long enough to sleep for the average healthy person, there are those who need an hour or so more, as there are others who thrive mentally and physically on four hours' sleep. 'Early to bed and early to rise' is a splendid doctrine, but in cases where people cannot get to bed early they should not force themselves to rise early. Sleep all you can naturally, but never sleep for sleep's sake any longer than is necessary."

The Queen's Larder.

When a dinner is given at Windsor or Buckingham palace fish to a huge outlay of money is ordered, but for an ordinary family dinner three kinds of fish are put on the table, whitening being almost invariably one of them. A sirloin of beef is cooked every day and put on the sideboard cold for luncheon. Her majesty's wine, which is well known to be incomparable, is kept in the cellars of St. James' palace, and is sent in basketfuls of three dozen to wherever her majesty may be, this being done more for the household and guests than for herself, as when alone she drinks only very weak whisky and water with her meals, by her physician's orders.

"She" Is Dead.

"She" is dead, according to official news from Pretoria. Her real name was Majajie. She was the mythical queen of the so-called Woodbush tribes of South Africa and she is known to have been at least 120 years old, there being official proofs extant to show that she was already reigning as a semi-divine more than a century ago. Queen Majajie was the original of the heroine in Rider Haggard's well known and popular novel "She."—Argonaut.

Why They Leave.

"Mrs. Mingo is a charming woman, isn't she?"
"Indeed she is, but I notice none of her admirers remain long in her train."
"But they never leave on their own account."
"Oh, fickle, is she?"
"No, a chaffing-dish faddist."—Cleveland Plaindealer.

Letter Carriers Use Electric Lights.

The Belfast (Me.) letter carriers claim they are the first in the country to use electric lights in delivering letters. They use a small lantern which is carried in the breast, which is

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama. In Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

E. E. Turner, of Compton, Mo., writes us that after suffering from piles for seventeen years he completely cured them by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures eczema and severe skin diseases. C. D. Stevens.

Dangers of the Grip.

The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for la grippe, we have to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dread disease. It will effect a permanent cure in less time than any other treatment. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

From Cripple Creek.

After the big fire in Cripple Creek, I took a severe cold and tried many remedies without help, the cold only becoming more settled. After using three small bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, both the cough and cold left me, and in this high altitude it takes a meritorious cough remedy to do any good.—G. B. Henderson, Editor Daily Advertiser. For sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

After having been confined to the house for eleven days and paying out \$25 in doctor bills without benefit, M. Frank Dolson of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., was cured by one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm costing 25 cents and has not since been troubled with that complaint. For sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

A FEW BARGAINS

—IN—

MISFIT GARMENTS!

—AT THE—

Kneff & Allen Store.

One fine blue black Granite Cutaway Coat and vest, size 44, made to order price was \$30; take them now for..... \$18

One light colored and weight Scotch Sack Suit, size coat and vest 37; pants, 3x33; made to sell for \$29; take them now for..... 17

One gray pinhead check Worst Cutaway Coat and Vest, size 34, made to order price, \$50; take them for..... 15

One black Cheviot Cutaway Suit; size of coat 35 pants 29x32; made to sell for \$28; take them now for..... 18

One black Diagonal Cutaway Coat and Vest, size 41 1/2; made to order price was \$28; take them now for..... 18

One Scotch Gray Pants and Vest; size vest, 43; pants, 43x31 1/2; made to order price \$13; take them now for..... 7

One Gray Striped Cassimere Pant, size waist 36, length 32; made to sell for \$5.50; take them now for..... 3

One fine light Olive Kersey Overcoat, size 44; made to sell for \$30; take it now for..... 20

One Gray Striped Worst Pant, size waist 35 1/2, length 35 1/2; were made for \$9; take them for..... 5

F. L. CLEMONS, Assignee

The Finest Assortment of**BABY CARRIAGES**

ever seen in this market just received at WHEELER'S. Some are upholstered in leather, some in new figured plush; some have leather springs, new flounced parasols, patent wheels, new brakes. They are beauties, and cheap too.

\$4 00 UP.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

RIPANS TABULES

Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other diseases arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use. Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and should be kept for use in every family.

50 Cents a box. At

AN EARTHQUAKE IN SHOE PRICES...

Ladies' Hand-Made Shoes We Are Breaking Up : : :

Great Clearing Sale That Means More Than Mere Words--

Figures and goods tell the tale. The highest of quality always known to our stock, yet prices that would seem to buy cheaper grade of shoes. We want room. We must have room. We don't care for cost on these shoes, they have got to go. The shoes are not shop worn nor out of style, and think of the prices

\$1.47 a Pair.

Your choice of twenty different styles. The goods are just as represented; \$1.47 buys any of them.

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|-------|---------------------------|--|--------|
| 78 pr | M. K. | \$3.00 and \$3.50 Pic and Round Toe, | \$1.47 |
| 47 pr | Welts, | \$3.50 and \$4.00 Tokio and Razor Tod, | 1.47 |
| 24 pr | Welts, | \$4.00 Round Toe, | 1.47 |
| 28 pr | M. K. lace and button | \$3.00 and \$3.50 round toe, | 1.47 |
| 68 pr | Turns, J. & T. Cousins | \$4.00 and \$4.50 pic toe, | 1.47 |
| 32 pr | Cloth Top turn lace | \$4.50 round toe, | 1.47 |
| 27 pr | Vici Kid turn lace | \$4.00 | 1.47 |
| 19 pr | Welts, lace and button | \$3.50 and \$4.00 Tokio toe, | 1.47 |
| 23 pr | button turns | \$4.00, | 1.47 |
| 46 pr | button turns, crimp vamp, | \$4.00 square toe, | 1.47 |
| 43 pr | lace turns, crimp vamp, | \$4.00 square toe, | 1.47 |

Any Lady who reads this cannot help becoming interested.

We are outdoing all previous records for Low Prices.

THE A. RICHARDSON SHOE CO.

C. O. D. Shoe Dealers.

COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

[Continued from page 3.]

Mrs. Dean	16.64	T. Banker	6	8.80
Ed. Wells	37.50	E. More, Plymouth	4	12.00
Beun, Patrick, Turtle	12.25	D. Griffin	2	25.30
Ed. Price	20.77	N. Thornton	6	16.50
Mrs. Farmer	14.14	A. Smith	1	5.00
Mrs. Peterson	6.25	A. P. Wikland	3	7.50
Chas. Skog	9.95	Mrs. Hammond	4	31.75
Geo. Ward	9.50	Mrs. Kingman	3	16.75
C. Bredeson	12.50	Mr. Sherwood	3	10.00
A. Peterson	5.00	Mrs. Street, transient	3	20.50
"Pop" Bates	30.35	Wm. Parsons	5	6.50
Mrs. N. al.	2.50	Mattie Flarity	1	69.95
Mrs. G. aham	28.50	Mrs. G. Anderson, Spring Valley	4	69.50
Eva Price	5.00	Nels. Toppen, Spring Valley	3	34.38
Mrs. Hanson	5.80	Bar Broken, Spring Valley	2	42.00
Annie Wolf, Clinton	13.00	Mrs. Ronnig, Spring Valley	1	8.00
Miss Olson, Clinton	11.75	Olena Gunderson, Spring Valley	1	9.94
Slm Jim, tramp	22.50	J. G. Kemp, transient	3	12.50
Mr. Rutledge, Clinton	23.93	E. Cole	9	21.00
Thredgoff, Clinton	4.80	Mrs. Mills, Milton	5	5.00
Mr. Bullis	15.00	Mrs. N. Sennard, Milton	5	1.88
C. H. Ayer	2.25	M. Lock	5	1.88
J. W. Jones, M. D. Clinton	25.00	Martin Holms, Plymouth	1	3.75
A. Skogan, Avon	10.65	M. Hessin	6	19.40
Mrs. March, Turtle	30.00	J. Barrett	2	3.00
Dick Ruelle	2.00	W. S. Scanlin	5	7.50
C. D. Johnson	4.49	Thos. Sabin	5	16.00
Jane Miller	5.00	J. Transtien, transient	1	25.00
Mrs. Northway	1.25	A. W. Cole	2	12.10
Mrs. Hanson	1.00	Anton Bier	3	15.75
Edie Christman	13.50	Bey Johnson, Edgerton	28	49.00
M. Privat, Clinton	1.00	Mrs. Hanson, Edgerton	23	25.00
Mrs. Carson	1.20	Mrs. Striker, Edgerton	18	42.00
Frank Egger	4.20	Mrs. S. Scanlin	5	6.50
Mrs. Egger	14.55	Edith M. Daly, transient	1	5.00
Mrs. Jancencour	1.00	R. Splander, Rock	5	16.20
Mrs. Hollis	1.00			
Lauphere, Clinton	1.00			
Chas. Harmon	2.00			
Mrs. J. Hunt	1.54			
Mrs. J. Hunt	1.54			
Abbie Macale, Clinton	61.50			
Seymour Barrett, Clinton	39.50			
Children of Oscar Thompson, Clinton	42.75			
Dr. Farr, salary	67.50			
J. Bumgard	2.75			
Mrs. Baker	1.00			
Mr. Berg	1.25			
Dave Foster	3.00			
L. Howard	1.00			
Robert Burt, Turtle	20.00			
D. Christman, Clinton	13.00			
Mrs. Hanson	1.25			
Mrs. Gray	5.00			
Kate Manes	4.50			
Nels Nelson	17.12			
Susie Hooper	2.50			
Joe Morrell	4.80			
Frank McKevitt	32.10			
Unknown, Clinton	2.50			
Annie Minkey, Shopiere	15.40			
Vadley Wheeler	6.00			
Mrs. Gould	27.10			
Max Gierloff	5.00			
D. Penick	5.00			
John Reid	11.00			
Ed. Hollister	11.00			
Lou Wickham	11.34			
Mrs. Rusche	6.20			
Mr. Stone	5.00			
J. Devers	15.25			
Mrs. Swanson	14.30			
Mrs. Lon Snow	5.35			
Dave Gresham, Clinton	108.42			
Jake Hardendorn, Clinton	317.99			
Mrs. Washburn	20.75			
Eli Bellis	16.88			
Mrs. C. Colby, Clinton	1.15			
Carrie Olson, Newark	34.50			
Ella Tucker	45.00			
Susie Scott	6.87			
Henriette, Clinton	72.70			
Geo. Giles, Clinton	4.35			
Jno. Fuese, Clinton	3.05			
P. Bergman, Clinton	3.50			
Mrs. Dagget	3.50			
Mrs. Ed. Wells	15.25			
Bob LaPoint	1.50			
Jennie Merrill	3.25			
Mrs. Reimer	3.25			
Thos. Sherwood, Clinton	1.45			
Mrs. Devany	2.80			
Mrs. Hastings	1.45			
Mrs. Boynton	5.60			
Mr. Hanger	1.00			
Transient Pauper expenses	13.20			

Your committee has examined the above report accompanying the same with vouchers submitted, and find the report correct.

Your committee would further report they have carefully examined the books and vouchers of Supt. of Poor, Peter Aller and find the same correct as reported by Trustee S. T. Merrill at our November meeting with the exception of one item, which placed \$163.94 in this year's acct. which properly belonged to last year's report.

Your committee would further recommend that an order be drawn in favor of S. B. Kenyon for \$7.67, to balance his acct. at Jan. 1, 1897.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. A. MAYHEW,
W. W. SWINGLE.

Supervisor Mayhew from committee No. 14, reported back the report of S. B. Kenyon as Supt. of the Poor and moved its adoption, as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Rock County.

GENTLEMEN:—Herewith I submit my annual report as Supt. of the Poor for the year 1896.

RECEIPTS.
Received from county Treasurer on orders \$4,000.00
Received from other sources..... 42.50

Total receipts..... \$4,042.50

DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS.

Paid myself amount due from last year \$ 144.56

Paid as per vouchers submitted..... 3,837.98

Paid for personal expense acct..... 67.63

Total..... \$4,050.17

Leaving a balance due me of..... 7.67

The actual amount expended during the year for support of the Poor and personal acct. is..... \$3,905.61

Janesville City has received aid to the amount of..... 2,004.89

The balance of my district..... 1,900.72

Total..... \$3,905.61

Number of families receiving aid..... 246

Number of people receiving aid (nearly)..... 672

I have been unable to get the exact number in each family.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

S. B. KENYON,

Supt. of Poor.

The following is a list of the names of those who have received aid during the year and the number in each family.

Names.	No.	Am't.
Guss Schumacher	4	\$ 11.76
Mrs. J. Collins	6	128.45
Mr. Morse	9	58.25
P. Olson	5	22.75
C. Ford	2	13.55
Mrs. Flarity	2	16.75
Mrs. Pudi	1	86.75
Geo. Rook	9	30.00
J. Stendall	2	53.69
Mr. Lightfoot	2	65.50
Mrs. Drathl	7	60.25
Mrs. Lefler	2	9.00
Mrs. O'Neal	3	30.97
Mr. Milligan, Porter	8	5.25
Mrs. Cook, Rock	6	122.70
Mrs. Churchill, Center	4	30.00
Mrs. Donivan	6	99.45
Mr. Thorne	2	71.56
Mrs. Sullivan	9	16.75
Mrs. J. Glass	9	77.23
Mrs. J. Miles	5	52.90
Mr. Byram	3	6.25
Mrs. Dobson	3	15.00
Mrs. Randolph	1	31.50
Mr. Jesousch	6	83.32
Miss Robinson	1	2.60
Mr. Cantwell	6	17.00
Mr. Gallop	3	13.00
Mrs. Hapgood	3	14.25
Mr. Gipe, transient	3	14.25
Mr. O'Brien	3	14.25
Con Croning	4	7.50
John Gray	2	7.00
John Rossi, transient	5	15.20
Roy D. Winn, Milton	2	13.00
Mr. Hawkins	2	12.00
Mr. Deckerly, Fulton	3	5.50
Geo. Shaw	3	29.80
Mrs. Armfield	6	40.15
Mrs. Kelly, transient	4	23.10
J. Jones	2	23.00
Mrs. Springbraur, transient	5	27.00
Mr. Burbanck	2	3.00
John Krouse	2	27.00

TO CAN TURTLES.

Company Formed to Bring Green Turtle Soup Within Reach.

A number of local capitalists of Cortland, this state, have organized a scheme for canning turtles in the West Indies for sale in New York and Europe, where green turtle soup and turtle steak are now among the choicest and most expensive delicacies, says the New York Journal. Turtle eggs are also to be laid on our tables at little more than cost. A late superintendent of the census is said to be interested in the enterprise. The plan which the Cortland capitalists regards as most feasible is to either charter or purchase a sailing vessel and equip her with lumber and other necessary articles to construct the canning factory, including a few huge kettles in which the turtles will be boiled, together with provisions for the supply of the men who will be employed to put up the building and maintain those that will do the work of boiling and canning. The natives will be utilized to catch the turtles.

As soon as a cargo of turtles is canned the vessel will return to New Orleans or to New York, and the goods will be consigned to agents, who will place them on the market. The United States will first be supplied and then shipments will be made to England and France. It is thought there will be a great demand for canned turtles in the country towns, as it is a toothsome dish when made into soup or turtle steaks. It is believed that a working capital of \$100,000 will be ample to put the enterprise on its feet.

SEA OF LAGER BEER.

Bavaria Leads Competitors—Bosnia and Roumania in the Rear.

The Vienna journal Gambrinus, devoted to the brewing interest, recently published a table of European breweries and their output for the year 1887. According to this table the whole number of breweries in Europe was 50,891, and the production of beer and ale amounted, in round numbers, to 173,500,000 hectoliters, or 4,850,000,000 gallons. The taxes collected from this sea of beer amounted to 250,000,000 bulden, or \$125,000,000. The malt used amounted to 6,700,000,000 kilograms, or nearly 740,000 tons, and the hops to 160,000,000 kilograms, or 110,000 tons. Germany alone contained 26,143 breweries, producing 45,000,000 hectoliters, or 1,188,000,000 gallons, while Austro-Hungary had only 1,979 breweries, producing 13,400,000 hectoliters, or 354,000,000 gallons. Most interesting are the figures relating to the production per capita. The smallest quantity, one liter (a little more than a quart), per head is found in Bosnia and Roumania. Then come Greece with 2½ liters, Russia with 4 3/5, France with 31, Switzerland with 40, Denmark with 63, Germany with 73, Upper Austria with 116, Lower Austria with 121. Great Britain produces 125 liters, or 33 gallons, per capita, but the greater part of this is exported. Belgium exceeds this with 150 liters, Wurtemberg with 218, and the kingdom of Bavaria leads all competitors with 248 liters, or nearly 65½ gallons for every man, woman and child in the country.

Southern Alaska's Future.

The popular idea of Alaska is that it is ice-bound during nine months in the year, and that only the miner and the fisherman are attracted to it. F. E. Bowers, one of the returned California prospectors who had poor luck, describes the Cook Inlet country as a grass region as good for cattle and sheep as Montana. He says that he saw thousands of acres of meadow covered with redtop grass as high as his head, and these river meadows are so level that a mowing machine could be run all over them. The climate he found no severer than that of Idaho or Montana, where cattle run on the range all winter. At Kudink Island he found horses and cattle which had fattened on the rich grasses. What he saw led Mr. Bowers to predict that a few years would see Southern Alaska one of the great livestock districts in this country, thus aiding to make true that glowing picture of the manifest destiny of the great northern territory which Seward painted over thirty years ago.—Harper's Weekly.

Nests of Pleasant Thoughts.

We complain of the want of many things; we want votes, we want liberty, we want amusements, we want money

GOLD DUST WASHING POWDER

The after-dinner task of dish washing loses its terrors, and all household cleaning is accomplished quickly and easily by the use of

GOLD DUST WASHING POWDER

Largest package—greatest economy.

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,
Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS.

The only safe, sure and reliable Female PILL ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies.

Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00.

DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.
For Sale by H. R. E. Hanous, Janesville.

Which of us feels or knows that he wants peace? There are two ways of getting it, if you do want it. The first is wholly in your own power; to make yourselves nests of pleasant thoughts * * * None of us yet know, for none of us has yet been taught in early youth, what fairy palaces we may build of beautiful thought—proof against all adversity. Bright fancies, satisfied memories, noble histories, faithful sayings, treasure houses of precious and restful thoughts, which care cannot disturb, nor pain make gloomy, nor poverty take away from us—houses built without hands, for our souls to live in.—John Ruskin.

Not a Wheelman.

"There is a pleasure in the pathless wood—"
Wrote Byron, and these simple words reveal,
Although the poet nature understood,
He didn't know a thing about a wheel.

—Cleveland World.

The Villain's Cigarette.

Dalpin—"Why is it that the stage villain always smokes a cigarette?"
Stigney—"Oh! he doesn't fear the consequences. He knows he's got to die before the show is over."—Roxbury Gazette.

The National Revenues.

The Treasury returns for the first three months of the current fiscal year show an excess of expenditures over receipts amounting to about twenty-five million dollars. This gap between income and outgo is caused both by a falling-off of receipts and an increase of appropriations.

Doesn't Happen as Often.

She—Talk about women talking! If they are any worse than you men are when there is a campaign, then I don't know a thing. He—But you must bear in mind that we only get that way once in four years.—Indianapolis Journal.

DANGER IN SODA.

Serious Results Sometimes Follow Its Excessive Use.

Common soda is all right in its place and indispensable in the kitchen and for cooking and washing purposes, but it was never intended for a medicine, and people who use it as such will some day regret it.

We refer to the common use of soda to relieve heartburn or sour stomach, a habit which thousands of people practice almost daily, and one which is fraught with danger; moreover the soda only gives temporary relief and in the end the stomach trouble gets worse and worse.

The soda acts as a mechanical irritant to the walls of the stomach and bowels and cases are on record where it accumulated in the intestines, causing death by inflammation or peritonitis.

Dr. Harlandson recommends as the safest and surest cure for sour stomach (acid dyspepsia), an excellent preparation sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. These tablets are large 20 grain lozenges, very pleasant to taste and contain the natural acids, pepsines, and digestive elements essential to good digestion, and when taken after meals they digest the food perfectly and promptly before it has time to ferment, sour and poison the blood and nervous system.

Dr. Wuerth states that he invariably uses Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in all cases of stomach derangements and finds them a certain cure not only for sour stomach, but by promptly digesting the food they create a healthy appetite, increase flesh and strengthen the action of the heart and liver. They are not a cathartic, but intended only for stomach diseases and weakness and will be found reliable in any stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cts. per package.
A little book describing all forms of stomach weakness and their cure may be had by addressing the Stuart Co., of Marshall, Mich.

CATARRH

is a LOCAL DISEASE and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes.

For your Protection use positively state that this remedy does not contain mercury or any other injurious drug.

Ely's Cream Balm

is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Cold in Head, Hay Fever of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays pain and inflammation, heals and protects the membrane, restores the senses of taste and smell. 50c. at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

Piles! Piles! Piles.

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind Bleeding, Ulcerated and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays the itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared only for Piles and Itching of the private parts, and nothing else. Every box is guaranteed. Sold by druggists, sent by mail, for 50c and \$1.00 per box.

WILLIAMS' PILE OINTMENT CO., Props., Cleveland, O.
For sale by E. E. Klog & Co. druggist.

White Goods, Embroideries and Laces.

Opening Sale of Spring Lines Wednesday, March 10th :: ::

piques, Checked Nainsooks, Stripe Nainsooks, Lace Stripes, Lace Checks, Swisses, India Linons, Victoria Lawns, and everything that comes under the head of white goods for dress'es, for aprons, for fine underwear, for Children's wear, etc.

Positive values 25 per cent. higher.

Embroideries.

A splendid showing of the newest patterns in Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, many of them in matched sets of two, three and four widths, also the insertion to match. You who remember last season's beautiful line of embroideries can expect to see one equally as complete at this sale. To mention prices would count for naught, and we will simply say that there will be no disappointment in the bargains which are synonymous with our Wednesday sale.

Laces.

For this special we will mention only one line of Laces—The Valenciennes—of which there has already been a big output, and as other lace lines will be in demand later on we will make no feature of them for Wednesday. Of the Valenciennes we have a most unusually attractive range and will show the new patterns in the various widths, also in matched sets with insertion. Wednesday prices will prevail on these, also on Footings, Perling, Honitons, etc.

Special Wednesday Prices also on White Flannels, plain and embroidered Birds-Eye Cotton and Birds-Eye Linen.

JACKETS—Would you like to buy your next winter's Jacket now? There are still a couple of months of this season to wear it in. If you'll pay for the findings and trimmings, we'll put in the material, workmanship, fit and style for nothing. That's what our cloak sale means.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

Last Week On the Bicycle.

MONDAY Next, MARCH 15

the day it goes to some lucky person. A strictly high grade Seymour Bicycle free. Your chance is as good as anybody's. A 50c cash purchase entitles you to a coupon on the wheel.

WINTER SHOES FOR

Men, Women, Misses, Children

lower than ever. You might just as well have an opportunity on securing a bicycle without particular trouble or inconvenience to yourself. You must have shoes. Why not run the chance of getting the wheel. Remember the date, March 15, Monday next.

Bennett and Cram,
ON THE BRIDGE.

FISH AGAIN THIS WEEK AT SANBORN'S

FRESH AND SALT WATER FISH, hundreds of pounds. A meal or two of Fish is pleasant, and especially so as the prices are so low as to make Fish the cheapest meal you can buy. Stock is fine this week.

PRICES ARE DOWN.

Fresh Fish.	Salt Fish.	
Fancy Lake White Fish, 8c per lb	Fancy new fat Mackerel, 5c lb	No. 1 Whitefish, 10c lb; three lbs. 25c
" Trout, 7c per lb	" Bloater Mackerel, large, 15c lb	[Large and nothing finer to be had.]
" Silver Herring, 4c lb		" No. 1 Portland Herring, 5c lb
Fancy Salt Water Fish	Fancies on the Market.	" Strip Codfish, 10c lb
Red Snapper, Wholefish, 8c lb	" Large family Whitefish, 5c lb	" Smoked Halbut, 15c lb
		" Smoked Whitefish, 10c lb.; three lbs. 25c

OUR OYSTERS

and the manner in which we keep them deserves particular attention. The only oyster refrigerator in the city. No ice and water mixed with the meats and no taste of the pail. Oysters are kept in glass jars and are, therefore, better for it. SANBORN makes a fight for your cash. His hobby is high qualities and low prices. You never get anything but good groceries. He keeps nothing else.

C. A. SANBORN & CO.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

New Line of

Fish Net and Lace Curtains!

We have just opened and placed on sale

30 Pieces of the Latest Pattern of Fish Net

Prices range from 20c to 50c per yard, and the patterns are very beautiful and exceedingly attractive.

150 Pair of Lace Curtains

From 75c to \$20.00 per pair, making one of the most complete lines we have shown. Our great leader is a Curtain that we sell at 94 cents per pair. If you want Lace Curtains you will do well to see this line.

TAMBO NET FOR SASH AND ALSO FOR FULL LENGTH CURTAINS:

27 Inches Wide
36 Inches Wide
45 Inches Wide
54 Inches Wide

Beautiful Muslin Goods in Tambo Work; One of the Prettiest Goods out this season for Curtains:

Scotch Dotted Curtain Swiss

Fifty new pieces in the following range of prices: 12 1-2, 15, 20, 25, 30 and 35c. These Dotted Swiss materials make a very pretty Curtain for chambers and spare rooms. On this fine line of Curtain goods we will guarantee to save you from 10 to 15% on any item in the line.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.